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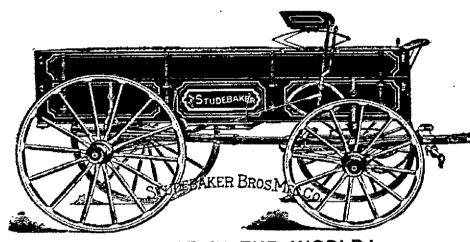
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PEACEMAKER BAYARD.

Our Ambassador's Success in the Nicaragua Negotiations.

ACCEPTS SALVADOR'S GUARANTEE.

Great Britain Has Instructed the British Admiral to Leave Corinto as Soon as Nicaragua Coufirms the Promised Payment of Indemnity.

WASHINGTON, May 3,-The department of state has received a telegram from Ambassador Bayard, at London, stating that Great Britain has accepted the guarantee made by Salvador of the payment of the indemnity by Nicaragua in London within a fortnight, and that so soon as Nicaragua confirms and so informs the British admiral the admiral is instructed to leave

The above official statement may be regarded as chronicling the passage of the acute phase of the difficulty between Great Britain and Nicaragua, which at one time, perhaps, threatened to involve the United States. It cannot be doubted that Nicaragua will promptly confirm the arrangement, and the British fleet will leave Corinto as soon as notice of the action of the British foreign office can be communicated to Admiral Stephenson, which, by the way, might be sooner had not Nicaraguans purposely interrupted the communication by cable directly between the foreign office and the admiral.

The guarantee by Salvador of Nica ragua's indebtedness, it is said, is simply a repayment of the favor extended to Sal vador by Nicaragua at the time of the Ezeta incident, when Dr. Guzman, the Nicaragua minister, at Washington, took up the case of Salvador by instructions of his own government and worked so hard to secure the extradition of the refugee to Salvador. In addition to this consideration, based on gratitude, the Salvadorians are supposed to be influenced in espousing the Nicaraguan cause by a feeling of apprehension at the presence of British troops on Central American soil.

It is quite certain that all of the countries of Central America have been deeply impressed with some such fear, and it is felt here that the Nicaraguan incident may perhaps be the direct means of bringing about again the long expected revival of the union of Central American republies, the small republies now existing having been brought to a realization of their inability to protect themselves in a con-

flict with any considerable power. Although it may be safely assumed that the acute phase of the Nicaraguan incident has passed, supposing that there should be no hostile collision, before the formal orders have reached the commanders on each side, there are yet some matters to be adjusted before the incident can be regarded as entirely closed. After the settlement of the "smart money" claim. on account of the treatment of Hatch, a commission must be selected and proceed to adjudicate claims of other British sub-

iects, not officials, who were expelled from Bluefields at the time of the outbreak last summer, and if this commission assess damages against Nicaragua on this score there may be some grumbling before the

This is not likely to lead to serious trouble, but the Nicaraguans, smarting under the sense of oppression in this case (for they declare that Hatch never had an exequateur and so was never recognized by them as a British official), may be counted on to do everything they can without giving cause for an open rupture to give their patronage in the future to any other nation than Great Britain. It is just within the bounds of possibility, too, that the old question of British rights in the Mosquito reservation may arise again at some future day.

It was definitely developed when the official announcement of the agreement was made that the United States had taken a very important part in the negotiations. A cablegram of instructions was sent to Mr. Bayard on Wednesday laying down a positive line of action. Mr. Bayard received these instruction so late on Wednesday that they were undoubtedly communicated to the foreign office yesterday. It is a significant coincidence that Great Britain's acceptance was given almost immediately after Mr. Bayard carried out his instructions.

Previous to Wednesday the compromise was being urged by the Salvadorean minister in London, but his efforts seemed to be ineffective, and there was no certainty that Great Britain would agree. It was this doubt which led to the cable to Mr. Bayard. He was directed to urge the reasonableness of the compromise proposition, and to seek a speedy acceptance. The results proved that his offices were more effective than those of the Salvadorean minister.

Death of a Once Noted Oarsman.

SING SING, N. Y., May 3.—Henry Ward, better known as "Hank" Ward, of the famous Ward brothers, at one time the champion four oared crew of the world, was found dead in his little fisherman's hut at Crawbuckeye beach, near this place, Wednesday night. Ward, who was 70 years old, had been a fisherman at the beach for a number of years. He lived alone in the hut. Some of his neighbors have for the past two weeks been supplying him with food, as he was not able to

Probably Blinded by a Blast.

HEREFORD, Pa., May 3 .- While Charles Heyl and Jacob Geho, of this place, were blasting rocks the fuse was accidentally cut off by a stamper, and this ignited the powder An explosion followed, injuring Heyl seriously. His face was burned black and cyesight probably destroyed. One of his hands was also crushed. Mr. Geho was thrown some distance by the shock, but escaped with bruises and contusions.

The Jury Unable to Agree.

NEW HAVEN, May 3 .- The jury in the case of Dr. J. Edward Lee, charged with murder in the second degree, in causing the death of Maggie Schloss in August last, were unable to agree to a verdict and SIX ANARCHISTS ON TRIAL

For Murdering an Editor Who Condemned

Their Brutal Practices. FLORENCE, May 3.-The trial began in this city yesterday of Oreste Lucchesi and six of his anarchist accomplices, all of them being charged with the nurder of Signor Bandi, editor of The Gazetta Livornesse, of Leghorn, and agent in that city of Reuter's Telegram company of London. As Signor Bandi wasentering his carriage on the morning of July I last he was set upon by a then unknown man and stabbed in the abdomen. He died from the effects

of his injuries a few hours later.

The crime attracted wide attention, owing to the fact that it was generally supposed that the murderer's motive was to avenge the anarchists, whom Signor Bandi had bitterly attacked in his journal. The murder was committed on the day that President Carnot, of France, who was assassinated by Santo Cesario, an Italian, was buried in the Pantheon in Paris. Signor Bandi had written strongly against men of the Cesario type, and thereby incurred the auger of Lucchesi, who was a dangerous anarchist leader.

The police soon learned that Lucchesi had committed the crime, and that he had had a number of accomplices who had assisted him to make his escape after the stabbing had been done. A vigorous search was made for these men, and Lucchesi was arrested in Corsica, whither he had fled after the murder. His accomplices were also located and taken into cus-

Shot by a Discharged Employe.

LANCASTER, Pa., May 3 .- William Baltz, a hotelkeeper and one of the leading German citizens of Lancaster, was shot and dangerously wounded last night at his home on North Queen street, by Adam Bertsh, his discharged bartender. Mr. Baltz discharged Bertsh because of his drinking habits, and after an altercation ordered him from the house. Bertsh went to his bedroom on an upper floor and Mr. Baltz followed him. The men had scarcely entered the room when a pistol shot was fired, and Bertsh emerged with the weapon in his hand. His victim's daughter found her father unconscious on the floor, with a terrible wound under the right eye. which had completely torn out that member, passed through the nose and lodged somewhere in the head. Bertsh was arrested. He is about 60 years old and a veteran of the war.

Riotous Strikers Repulsed.

St. Louis, May 3.—Six hundred striking brickyard workmen left their temporary headquarters west of Tower Grove park, armed with stones and clubs, and marched north towards the yards of the Cote Brillianto Press Brick company. The workmen at these yards refused to strike on Wednesday when visited by a committee from the union. A warning was sent to the superintendent of the works by the police, and he barricaded the gate leading to the yards, and awaited the mob's appearance. When the mob came up it assaulted the gate, but was repulsed and dispersed by the police.

Snubbed a Senate Committee. SPRINGFIELD, Ills., May 3.—Frank H.

Cooper, of the department store firm of Siegel, Cooper & Co., Chicago, was a prisoner before the bar of the senate to answer to the charge of being in contempt for refusing to give certain information about the business of the firm to the special committee of the senate which was sent to Chicago to investigate the department store methods of doing business. Mr. Cooper declares the questions are inquisitorial, and that he will go to jail rather than answer. The senate adjourned without taking action.

Baltimore's Big Coatmakers' Strike. BALTIMORE, May 3.—The strike of the coatmakers is still on, and 20,000 men and women may be thrown out of employment. The situation depends now upon the action of the manufacturers. The contractors and the strikers will parade the street, and if their plans are successfully carried out there will be several thousand men in line. This morning there are about 1,600 men on strike, and the situation is becoming very serious. The strikers are endeavoring to get the wages which they received before the business depression began.

Paris Strike Leaders Imprisoned.

PARIS, May 3 .- M. Proust, president of the Omnibus Employes' union, and M. Deville, secretary of the same organization, who were arrested here on April 24 by order of the public prosecutor, charged with attacking liberty and labor in speeches which they made at the outbreak of the strike of the omnibus employes, were seutenced yesterday to six months' imprisonment after having been convicted of inciting the men to violence during the recent

A Depial by Mr. Depew.

DETROIT, May 3.-Chauncey M. Depew was seen at the chamber of commerce banquet by the Associated Press reporter and asked as to the truth to the statement published in St. Paul to the effect that Vanderbilt interests are seeking the control of the Great Northern railroad. After reading the dispatch Mr. Depew replied: "There is no trith in it whatever. The Vanderbilts are taking no interest in this matter; absolutely nothing in it."

A Sawyer's Awful Death.

McKeesport, Pa., May 3.-Charles Sumpter, employed in the carpenter department of the Duquesne steel works. was instantly killed yesterday. He was operating a circular saw when a large plank, which was being put through, turned upward, striking Sumpter on the head, crushing it to a jelly and severing it from the body. Deceased was married and leaves a wife and family.

Engineer Murdered by Tramps. BLOOMINGTON, Ills., May 3.-Three tramps boarded the tender of a Chicago and Alton fast mail train at Carlinville Wednesday night, intending to steal a ride, and when Engineer Frank Holmes ordered them off one of the men shot and killed him. Three suspects are in jail at Carlinville, and two others were arrested by the fall of a load of clay. at Springfield yesterday.

THE KANSAS CYCLONE

The Damage Greater Than First Reports Indicated.

THE DEAD NOW NUMBER TWELVE.

Four Others Will Die from Their Injuries-Neighboring Farmers Pushing the Work of RelieL

WICHITA, Kan., May 3.-The cyclone which passed through the western part of Harvey county, killing twelve persons near Halstead and seriously injuring several others, was one of the most destructive that has ever visited Kansas, with the exception of such as may have taken large

towns in their sweep.

A line beginning in Sedwick county at the Mount Hope bridge, within a gunshot of the old Carlisle ranch, and drawn straight in a northeasterly direction to a point a little to the southeast of Mound Ridge, in McPherson county, is not far from twenty-five miles in length, and by a careful count there is, or was, upon this line an average of one farm house to the mile, every one of which was either totally demolished or so badly wrecked so that in most cases it might as well have

A complete list of those whose places are totally destroyed is: George Keener, Mrs. Gus Frey, Mike Spalaski, John Wedling, Joseph Weir. Martin Chapin. William Armstrong, Bert Frizzle, Cyrus Hinkson, J. Bart, H. Hammey, A. F. Pawnell, Mrs. Coales, Spiner Roy, Andrew Thompson,

M. S. Hege and C. Bachman. The storm passed over Mound Ridge, doing no damage, but filling the town with debris and dead cartle. A peculiar feature of the storm was the fact that it rained heavily east of the path of destruc-

tion, but not west of it. The funerals of the Weir family took place at Halstead yesterday, as did also the funeral of Miss Neff. The city was in deep mourning, and the funeral was attended by people for miles about. The funerals of Mr. Armstrong and Mrs. Chapin took place at Burrton, and there was a large crowd and general mourning. Crowds of people visited the scene from Hutchison, Newton, Wichita and other

The list of dead and wounded exceeds first reports. So far as known the dead are: Four members of the Schmidt family-father, mother, son and daughter; Mrs. Joseph Weir and three of her children, Miss-Cora Neff, Farmer Bachman. William Armstrong and Grandma Cha-

Among the injured are: Joseph Weir's child, dying; the widow Frye, internally injured, recovery doubtful; Mrs. James Cummings, seriously; Major Frizzle; Jake Salinski, injured in the head, unconscious; Mrs. William Armstrong: William Morris, seriously; Cyrus Henson, fatally; Mrs. Coates.

The doctors say Mrs. Coates and Mrs. Armstrong, whose husband was killed, cannot recover. Mr. Weir, who was reported fatally injured, was able to attend the funeral of his wife and children.

The neighboring farmers and citizens of Halstead held a public meeting last night to devise means to get relief for the injured people.

Mrs. Lease on the Warpath.

TOPEKA, Kan., May 3.—Mrs. Lease testifled in the Householder investigation yesterday, and created a sensation. She said the board of charities had bought for the insane asylum butter from Governor Lewelling that was so bad that a taste made her sick. She scored Householder for neglect of duty and wasteful expenditures, and when Attorney Judge Webb tried to suppress her denounced him as an anarchist, and said he had advised the members of the board to carry axes and hatchets and drive Dr. Woutworth out of the Ossawattoic asylum.

Disastrous Fire in a Michigan Town. GRAND RAPIDS, Mich., May 3.-Every

business structure except a restauraut and the depot in the village of Sand Lake, twenty-five miles north of this city, were destroyed by fire yesterday afternoon. Several residences were also burned, and there are not enough left to accommodate the homeless people. The village is on the Grand Rapids and Indiana railroad, and has a population of about 750.

A Train Blown from the Track.

EAU CLAIRE, Wis., May 3 .- During a eavy gale late Wednesday afternoon, as a way freight on the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis and Ohio road was approaching Eau Ctaire, eleven loaded cars and the tender were blown from the track and tipped over. All of the train that was left on the track was the locomotive and the caboose.

To be Sent Back to California.

ALBANY, May 3 .- Governor Morton has granted a requisition of the governor of California for the custody of A. J. Whiteman, who is charged with having forged a check for \$500 in San Francisco. Whiteman was arrested in New York city about ı week ago.

ASHLAND, Pa., May 3.-While working in a breast at Merriam colliery Charles Burke, aged 40 years, of Lucust Dale, was killed by a fall of coal.

Another Killed by Falling Coal.

NUGGETS OF NEWS. Rain has visited portions of Wisconsin

for the first time in two months. Mill workers at Worcester, Mass., at a largely attended meeting, voted not to trike at present.

The Ohio miners' convention has not yet reached an agreement as to the wage scale for this year. Captain John Brown, son of the famous

abolitionist, died on Put-in-Bry Island, near Sandusky, O., last night, aged 70. While at work on the drainage canal at Mount Forest, His., Elmer Tongen was killed and Michael Scanian lost an arm

YESTERDAY'S BASEBALL GAMES.

At Philadelphia-New York, 9; Philadelphia, 4. At Pittsburg (12 innings)-Cincinnati, 9; Pittsburg, S. At Chicago (10 innings)—Louisville, 5; Chicago, 4.
At Boston—Boston, 9; Washington, 7.
At Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 8; Baltimore, 6.
At Cleveland—Cleveland, 9; St. Louis, 4. Eastern League.

At Springfield-Springfield, 9; Buffalo, 5. At Scranton (10 innings)—Scranton, 8; Rochester, 7. At Providence—Providence, 3; Toronto, 2. At Wilkesbarre—Wilkesbarre, 6; Syracuse, 2.

State League.

At Shenandoah-Pottsville, 18; Shenandoah. 3. At Hazleton-Hazleton, 11; Carbondale, 7. At Harrisburg-Lancaster, 10; Harrisburg, 6. At Allentown (forfeited)— Allentown, 9; Reading, 9.

Delaware May Not Have a Senator. Dover, Del., May 3. - Unless a joint resolution rescinding former action can be passed in the general assembly, which is hardly probable, the two houses will adjourn sine die at 3 o'clock on the afternoon of May 9. From present indications there is no doubt of adjournment, as the Democratic senate, even if the Republican house could muster enough votes to extend the session, would oppose such a resolution, as they desire to have the legislature adjourn without electing a United States senator. This seems to be the wish of at least four of the supporters of J. Edward Addicks also, and the latter has said that in such a contingency he would make a fight two years hence. The 12sth fruit-less ballot was taken yesterday.

Three More Trolley Victims.

PHILADELPHIA, May 3.—The list of trolley fatalities was increased yesterday by three. Charles Allen, a 12-year-old colored boy, was struck at Fourth and Green streets, and died within three minutes. Rosa Golding, a tot of 3 years, was play-at Fourth and Fitzwater streets, when she spied her mother on the other side and ran across the street in front of a car. She was dragged twenty feet and instantly killed, while the mother fell fainting to the side walk. Herbert Berkhardt, aged 13, was struck by a car at Park and Columbia avenues, and received a compound fracture of the skull. He is dying at a hospital.

A Demented Consumptive's Crime. NEW YORK, May 3.—Protos Florence, 46

years old, shot his wife in the right thigh and leg and then shot himself in the right temple. He died instantly. She was taken to the hospital. Her condition is quite serious. Florence was a wall paper designer. For the past year he has suffered from consumption, and has not been able to work. He was laboring under the delusion that the wall paper bronze had settled on his lungs and would eventually kill him. He had been married twenty five years and had two sons. The police say that Florence was insane.

London, May 3.—Great excitement was caused in the lobby of the house of com-mons yesterday by Sir William Vernon Harcourt's announcement in presenting the budget that it might be, and probably would be, the last night in which responsible position to would be able to address the house on finance. This language from a leader of the house of commons is full of significance when read in conjunction with the report which for some days has found credence in the best circles that Lord Rosebery had decided to relinquish the premiership forthwith.

He Gambled in Stocks and Horse Racing.

BROOKLYN, May 3.—The grand jury has indicted James F. Wilson, who recently conducted a boot and shoe store No. 341 Myrtle avenue, for fraud. Wilson fled from this city some time ago, and last night was arrested by officers in Lexington, Ky. According to the evidence presented to the grand jury Wilson had gambled in stocks and on the horse races and had beed driven to such stress of circumstances on this account that he had ordered about \$20,000 worth of boots and shoes on credit, disposed of them for \$5,000 and hastily left

Michigan Strikers Gaining.

MARQUETTE, Mich., May 3. - The ore trimmers have won another point in the contest with the contractors. Yesterday afternoon General Manager Fitch, of the South Shore applied to the sheriff for protection, and the latter called out the militia. No men could be found, however, who were willing to work under the contracters, and the old trimmers were put to work. Two companies have already withdrawn from the lake carriers' arrangement, and the ultimate victory of the trimmers is assured.

Incipient Riot at Olneyville.

PROVIDENCE, May 3 -The first disturbance since the strike began at Olneyville occurred last night when James W. Whipple, who, it is alleged, had gone to work in the Atlantic mills, was surrounded by a crowd of hooting and jeering strikers. squad of ten officers, part of them mounted, charged the mob, who at first resisted, but by vigorous wielding of clubs the police forced their way through the strikers and rescued Whipple. No arrests were made.

Again Preparing for Buchanan's Execution Sing Sing, N. Y., May 3.-Warden Sage will tomorrow, for the third time, send out invitations to the witnesses to attend the execution of Dr. Buchanan, Wednesday next, at which time the second respite granted by Governor Morton expires. The warden said today that he had every reason to believe that the sentence would be carried out at that time, unless some regular order from the court was served upon him to cause a further postponement.

Urged for the Prohibition Nomination. Boston, May 3.-A movement is on foot among the prohibitionists of the east to support Hon. John G. Wooley, of Minnesota, as the presidential candidate of the Prohibition party in the campaign of 1593. It is announced that Mr. Wooley has the support of Miss Frances E Willard and other leaders of the W. C. T. U., who will strongly advocate his nomination.

Japan Not Ready to Yield to the Demands of Russia.

RUSSIA READY FOR HOSTILITIES.

At the Same Time the Czar's Government Is Not Inclined to Hurry Japan in Presenting a Reply-Neither Germany Nor France Will Actively Intertere.

LONDON, May 3.—A dispatch from Odessa says it is semi-officially announced that Russia has made every preparation and is quite ready to begin hostilities if Japan refuses to modify the terms of her treaty

of peace with China. A Berlin dispatch says that negotiations are actively proceeding to secure an ami-cable settlement of the trouble between Russia, Germany and France on the one hand and Japan on the other. As a consequence of these notices Japan has not

made a formal protest to the powers. A St. Petersburg dispatch says there is teason to believe that an early official answer from Japan to the protest of Russia, Germany and France was not expected. Russia is inclined to give Japan plenty of time in which to reply, without the latter stultifying herself in the eyes of the Jap-anese people by anything like a too hasty compliance. The Russian envoy at Tokio has lately pressed for a reply to the protest, and has been told that it will be given in a few days, on the return of Count Ito, president of the Japanese council of ministers. In diplomatic circles there is great confidence that a pacific so-

lution of the matter will be reached. The Times' Paris correspondent says that the papers of that city are trying desperately hard to complicate the question of the attitude of the powers in regard to the Chinese-Japanese treaty of peace. The correspondent adds: "From an excellent source I am informed that the rumors of an ultimatum, collective notes, etc., are not founded on fact. Russia, in fact, is not so determined as is generally supposed. to push matters to a practical issue of open hostility. The military resources of Siberia are not such as to justify such an en-

terprise.
Germany, while apparently determined to afford moral support by diplomatio pressure, has given no grounds for supposing that she will actively intervene.

"France, while faithfully keeping Russia company, has certainly not entered upon any agreement by which she will embark upon adventurous complications. Finally it is not true that Great Britain is inciting Japan to resist. Indeed it is quite the contrary. Great Britain urges apan to meet the susceptibilities of Europe with all concessions compatible with Japan's dignity and permanent interests. This advice will not be given in sain. It is expected that Japan will give the European powers a mark of deference and moderation and will renounce a definite occupation of the Liao Tung peninsula, consenting to allow-her occupation to cease with the fulfillment of the other clauses of the treaty. This arrangement may be taken as probable, and it will shortly come about."

The Vienna correspondent of The Standard telegraphs: "I am told that the Japanese declare that it is impossible for them to yield to the dictation of Russia, and are making their preparations accordingly. Large orders have been placed in several European countries for war material, and Japanese agents are busy in the dock yards of Europe and America buying warships, mostly small, swift cruisers. No respite will be allowed China for the ratification of the treaty. The march to Pekin begins the moment the armistice ends. As regards Russia, her claims will be politely waived, and it will then be imperative that the allies bring matters to an issue."

Children Kidnaped by Gypsies.

POTTSVILLE, Pa., May 3.—Several bands of gypsies have been encamped in this vicinity of late, and many petty thefts have occurred in Minersville and other near by towns, but today the people are aroused by the mysterious disappearance of two little children. One belongs to a broker named Locser, and the other is of the Trozise family, of Minersville. It is believed that they were taken by the gypsies.

An Informer's Terrible Punishment. ATLANTA, May 3.-On Wednesday the body of Tom Brownlee, a negro revenue informer, was found in a creek which runs through the hills of Butts county. He was pinned down in the bed of the creek by saplings and staked to the ground, there to die a lingering death of fearful pain and suffocation. The story was told that whitecappers had perpetrated the terrible crime.

The Ohio Counterfeiters.

CLEVELAND, O., May 3.-J. B. Michener, the Canton attorney and chairman of the Stark county Democratic central committee, is still in jail here, his bond not yet having been signed. It is now believed that Michener is connected with the big gang of counterfeiters unearthed at Canton. Developments of a sensational nature are expected within a day or so.

Man and Wife Attempt Spicide. HILLIARDSVILLE, Fla, May 3.-Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Ashmore, Jr., attempted suicide by swallowing poison. Mrs. Ashmore took the poison because distressed by her husband's correction of one of their children. The husband, driven to despair on account of his wife's serious condition,

drank what was left in the bottle. Both

Italy's Demand on Brazil. RIO DE JANEIRO, May 3.—The Italian tharge d'affaires has demanded that Brazil reply within seven days to the claims made by Italy for losses sustained by Italian subjects during the late revolu-

A Dramatist Sent to Prison.

MUNICH, May 3 -Herr Panizza has been sentenced to one year's imprisonment on she ground of the profacity of his drama, The Council of Love

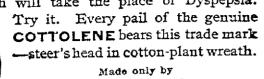
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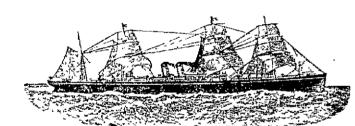
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A BAG OF MYSTERY.

IT UPSET THE EQUILIBRIUM OF A CAR LOAD OF BROOKLYNITES.

The Peace of Mind Which the Resident o Brooklyn Puts on With His Sunda; Clothes Greatly Disturbed by the Strange Young Man's Actions.

There was an odd little episode in a Brooklyn trolley car of the Flatbush line on a recent Sanday afternoon, which gave rise to an amusing comedy of conflict between the natural curiosity of human nature and the civilized obligation to restrain it.

The Flatbush and Flatlands line runs away out into the region of cornfields, truck farms and forests, lately gathered into Brooklyn's municipal area. When the car started from the end of the route it had aboard one passenger, a pleasant faced young man who carried a large leather handbag. He was well dressed, but his clothes were covered with dust and his shoes with mud, suggesting that he had been roaming across lots in the rural wards. As the car approached and passed Prospect park it filled up with Sunday strollers.

The young man sat beside the stove, with his bag on his knees. After awhile he opened the bag a trifle, shook it gently and peered attentively inside. Then he put his hand in and seemed to be gently stirring up its contents. The passengers sitting directly opposite to him became interested in his doings, but he didn't look up. After shaking the bag from side to side for a little while he bent over and became interested in some mysterious business which for the rest of the trip absorbed his entire attention and also that of his fellow passengers.

He reached down into the bag with his right hand, lifted out something carefully in the hollow of his palm, weighed it carefully, held it to his ear, shook it, held it to his ear again and then decisively reached around and put it into his evercoat pocket. Then he reached into the bag again and went through the same motions, except that this time he placed the something carefully in one corner of the bag. First one and then another of the passengers became interested in the young man and his performance until very soon every one was peering closely, some almost painfully, over at him and his bag. But he never looked up. By and by the conductor came in and walked nervously the length of the car several times, peering into the young man's bag as he passed. But the bag was open only a trifle, and he could see nothing of its contents. He went outside and discussed the matter with a man who stood on the platform.

The young man, intensely absorbed in his performances and seemingly altogether oblivious of the intense interest of the other passengers in him, kept steadily on, lifting out invisible somethings, weighing them, listening to them, shaking them and sorting them over. Once in awhile he lifted out bits of twigs and leaves and threw them on the floor. The passengers eyed them over attentively, but could make nothing out of them. Soon they began whispering one to another about the mysterious doings of the young man, and the women moved nervously around, and one or two men looked as though they Cheap Sailing were determined to ask the young man for an explanation if he looked up. But were determined to ask the young man he didn't look up. Once in awhile a passenger got out and tried hard to peer into the bag as he passed it, but uselessly. The situation was painful and was also intensely comical to one passenger who was almost as much interested in

watching the ill concealed curiosity and strained nervousness of the passengers as in trying to fathom the mystery of the young man's performance. Probably if it had been any other day than Sunday some one would have plucked up courage to ask a simple although maybe impertinent question and so relieve the general strain. But the restraint imposed by Sunday clothes held every one

Finally when the car was entering Fulton street, the young man suddenly looked out of the window, closed the bag with a nap and hurried out of the car. There was a movement on the part of the other passengers, partly of alarm at the escape of the young man with of relief at the end of the suspense. One man made a quick jump after the mysterious young man and caught him for a few seconds as he was about to leave the car.

"What've y' got? Whatcher doing?" he asked, regardless of all proprieties. The young man looked surprised and then smried and said:

"Oh, cocoons, chrysalides, moths, you know. I've been gathering them out in the country, and I sell them to the naturalists." Then he jumped off the car. The impulsive, inquisitive man returned to his seat, and the remaining passengers were eagerly waiting for him. He explained that the young man was a naturalist or naturalist's collector. He evidently made a business of going around the country hunting over the pupas, of moths and butterflies. Some of these are attached to fence pickets, but perhaps the greater number are found on leave or twig. They look like balls of silk usually, but often are covered with dust, dead leaves and such matter. The collector simply gathered everything into his bag and then sorted them out later. Some of the cocoons are empty, and these he could tell somecertainly by shaking them. The pupa is usually loose and rattles inside the cocoon. The empty shells he put into his coat pocket, the live pupe he sorted out according to size or perhaps by peculiarities which distinguished their

It seemed a curious business, but yet it wasn't quite so odd as the comical Middletown. perplexity in which it kept about a score of Breoklynites.—New York Sun.

SHE GUI HER PUSITION.

This Young Lady Knew How to Gain Her Point With a Sensitive Official. The session of the legislature in every

state brings to the capitol a retinue of ap-plicants for every position from clerk of the senate to assistant fireman. This year there has been an unusually large number of people out of work. In one of the states, where the number of employees for the 60 days' session has been limited by law to 200, there were no less than 2,500 needy applicants.

The day before the opening of the session a shy gul knocked at the door of the attorney general's office. "Is the attorney general in?" she asked

timidly.
"Yes," said a clerk. "He will see you when he gets through with this long line of job hunters. Just have a seat."

In the numerous chairs, on the office lounge and standing were 20 or more waiting for a turn to press some claim for a position.

The attorney general was rather a graff looking man, and he dismissed each with the remark. "I can't do anything for you. Sorry, you know, but there are hundreds of applicants, and each officer, every legislator, has a dozen begging for each posi-

When the timid girl's turn came, she handed the impatient looking officer a letter. She said nothing, she hardly looked

into his face. "I'm sorry, Miss C., that I can do nothing for you. It was foolish for you to come here expecting to get work. I'd be glad to help you if I could; but, you see, it's this way—I have no influence to get you a posi-tion. I am very"—

"We were speaking of that at home, but I thought it would do no harm to see you," she interrupted. "And we were saying what a pity it was that you had lost your influence,"

The state official winced. He looked as

if something hurt ihm.
"Brown," he said, turning to his deputy with unnecessary abruptuess, "this young lady is to have a position in the enrolling department See that there is a place for her it you have to muzzle every legislator in the building."—New York Herald.

He Got Up Early.

There is a man in the southern part of the city who went home late one night last week. He felt hungry, and thought that he could get into the pantry without

the aid of a light.

He opened the door carefully so as not to awaken the household.

He trailed his fingers over the top shelf. The first thing he struck was nice fresh

He tried it again.

It was butter this time. He said something that would hardly pass at a prayer meeting.

Then he tried it once more. Ah, his fingers went into comething that felt like oysters. He took down the can and tasted it. Yes, it must be oysters, though they didn't taste right up to date. In a few moments he had gulped it all down, despite the peculiar taste. Then be

took off his shoes and went up stairs to bed. He woke up the next morning just two hours before his usual time for rising. He wondered what was the matter with his stomach. It was a very strange feeling, as though he had eaten dried apples and drank a lot of cold water.

When he came down to breakfast in the morning, the first thing his wife asked

"George did you touch the pail of yeast on the pantry shelf— Why, what is the matter?" she cried, as her husband made one frantic effort to swallow up all the water in the pitcher.-Syracuse Post.

The Opening of the Season

The sun was shining brightly outside. and the elephant felt the impulse of its genial influence as he reached his trunk around and banged away at the cage of his neighbor, the royal Bengal tiger, which was curled up over in the far cor-

"Say, Tigey, old boy," remarked the lephant, "did you know spring had elephant,

The royal Bengal growled and showed "I say," repeated the elephant, sticking

his trunk into the cage and blowing a basketful of dust over the tiger, "I say, spring has come." The tiger bounded up and lit on the elephant's trunk, almost tearing the lid

off of it with his claws. "Wow," whistled the elephant, with-drawing it precipitately. "I didn't mean that kind of a spring." And he hunched over as far from his neighbor as he could get.—Detroit Free Press.

Improving His Opportunities.

Clergyman-I hope, my young friend. you will improve your gospel privileges and numble freely with the Lord's people Mr. Dudely-That's just what I'm go ing to do I'm not going to miss one Sunday school pienic if I can help it .- Texas

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LIQUID GOLD FEVER.

RAPID ADVANCE IN OIL HAS RENEWED EXCITEMENT IN WEST VIRGINIA.

The Furore at Parkersburg-Story of the Finding of Petroleum-George Washington Knew of Its Existence-How Senator Camden Made His Fortune.

Among the natural resources of West Virginia petroleum has always been rated as third in importance, coal and timber taking precedence, but just at this time a superficial observer would conclude that there is nothing but oil in the state. This is the result of the liquid gold fever that has been occasioned by the sudden and rapid rise in the oil

Parkersburg being the center and distributing point of the West Virginia oilfield, it is the place to get the ben-efit of all the excitement. It reminds one of the days "before the war," when oil was first struck, and it almost equals the excitement in California over the discovery of gold.

Oil was first discovered in West Virginia and not in Pennsylvania. The Pennsylvania fields were the first to be developed, but the discovery belongs to West Virginia, and the largest oilfield now in the world is at Sisterville, about 50 miles above Parkersburg. In fact, the existence of natural gas, which is the twin sister of petroleum, was known to George Washington before the Revolution.

In 1775, in one of his surveying expeditions to the Kanawha valley, General Washington discovered the "Burning spring." He did not understand the phenomena, but so well assured was he that it was some rich gift of nature designed for the use of man that he set apart and deeded to the public forever an acre of land near the Kanawha river, about eight miles above Charleston, on which was the great national wonder.

It was simply a hole in the ground, which filled with water when it rained and up through which issued a jet of gas, giving the water the appearance of boiling, and when lighted burned with a bright flame till blown out by the

In 1815 Captain James Wilson struck a gas well white boring for salt water in the Kanawha valley.

The coal oil fever broke forth in all its fury early in 1861, when oil was discovered at the Burning springs above Parkersburg. It was then that fortunes were made and lost in a single day.

In that field oil was found at a depth of from 90 to 300 feet, and in a few weeks the whole field was punctured like a pepper box.

It was in the oil excitement of 1861 that Senator Camden, who is now classed among the wealthiest of America's millionaires, got his start. At that time he was a comparatively young man, with a small law practice in a country town up in the interior of the state. Sitting in his room one evening looking over the daily papers, he suddenly turned to his wife with the remark, "Ann, my fortune is made."

When she looked for an explanation, be said: "I see here in the paper that oil has been discovered on the Little Kanawha. I am going up there to try my hand at developing the field." The next morning he borrowed all the money that his collaterals and the influence of friends could scrape together for him and then struck out for the Burning spring. In two weeks he had made enough to pay back his borrowed capital, and from that day to this there has not been a check in the progress of his marvelous business career.

The improvement in the method of refining has advanced with the progress of the industry, and discoveries have been made whereby all the refuse matter that was formerly thrown away is now converted into useful articles of commerce. It is in this way that the refined oil has been reduced in price from 40 cents a gallon to 10 cents and still leaves a good profit to the refiners.

Most of the wells that have been lately shot in the area of the oil basin have been good producers, and there is now a daily output of from 12,000 to 15,000

Yet experienced oil speculators say that the present rise in oil is not altogether born of speculation, but is partially due to legitimate causes. The supply has fallen below the demand, and the speculators have only taken advantage of the aernal condition to maugurate an era of gambling.

The Russian oilfield is diminishing its supply every year, with no prospect of new discoveries. Many of the American fields have been totally exhausted, and but few new ones are being discovered, and oil being the cheapest light that can be produced the demand for it has increased with the hard times.-Cincinnati Enquirer.

Tolstoi's Latest.

Count Tolstoi's latest work, which has just appeared, is called "Master and It is a story of Russian village life, telling of the struggle in the mind of the master, lost in the snow with his man, against the temptation to abandon : his helpless companion, for whom he at last gives his own life.—Philadelphia Ledger.

Worth Looking Inte.

If Great Britain contemplates going to the expense of bombarding a town for the sake of collecting that \$75,000 from Nicaragua, she has something more in her eye than the money.—New York Sun.

Human Nature.

Human nature is human nature, and the man who swears falsely concerning his tax returns will continue to frown down the man who stuffs a ballot box. -Washington Post.

A Dentist's Suit.

Suit has been brought against a dentist for breach of promise of marriage. The wonder is that it was not a suit for breach of premise of teeth.-New York

SCULPTURE A LA DELSARTE Mrs. Huncker Wears Tea Gowns, but Does

Very Successful Work. A sculptor in a tea gown who assumes Delsarte poses as the work in hand progresses is something of a novelty, but this is Mrs. Clio Hinton Huneker's modus operandi, and her recent success in designing the statue of General John U. Fremont that was accepted by the Associated Pioneers of Territorial Days of California demonstrates that there is a profitable field for sculpture a la Delsarte in the United States. Mrs. Huneker competed with some of the best sculptors in the country, but her design best embodied the spirit and adventures of the famous "Pathfinder," and she easily carried off the honors. The statue is to be completed and set up next fall, and Mrs. Huncker will receive the substantial sum of \$10,000 for the work. The design commemorates Fremont's first expedition across the continent in 1842, when he carved a great cross on the peak named for him in Wyoming-



MPS. CLIO HINTON HUNEKER.

Mrs. Huneker was born in Rhinebeck, N. Y., about 24 years ago, and inherited her talent from her mother, Mrs. Howard Hinton, who was a sculptor of some note. Mrs. Huneker received her preliminary training from her mother and then took a course of instruction in the studio of Augustus St. Gaudens, the famous sculptor.

The fair sculptor is the wife of James G. Huneker of New York. When completed, her starne of General Fremont will be erected near the general's grave in Rockland cemetery, Piermont, N. Y.

Mrs. Huneker sees no good reason why women should not succeed in the art she has identified herself with. "Women can do virile work," she says, "but the life of a sculptor is not play by any means. A woman must know how to hammer and saw and must be able to stand for hours on a scaffolding. Strength, a cool head and natural talent for the work are indispenable."

PLUCKY JANIE RUSSELL.

A Girl's Adventurous Trip Across the Andes on a Mule's Back.

Traveling three months to see an aunt in San Francisco requires affection and pluck, especially when the intending visitor is compelled to traverse the continent of South America and cross the ofty Andes on the back of a mule, but Miss Janie Russell recently demonstrated that she possessed both in unlimited quantities. She lived at Paysandu, in western Uruguay, and early in January started for San Francisco. The journey consumed three months and was replete with startling adven-

From Paysandu to Montevideo she proceeded by rail, and her first adventure occurred when the train ran into a herd of cattle, killing several of them and causing considerable delay. Then the locomotive began breaking down with somewhat monotonous regularity, and the journey was still further delayed. Finally the girl traveler reached Montevideo, the flourishing capital of



MISS JANIE RUSSELL.

Uruguay, and was forced into quarantine for several weeks because she had passed through a district afflicted with the cholera.

January had almost slipped by before the authorities released her from quarantine, and she then proceeded to Buenos Ayres, Argentine Republic, where she boarded a train and began her trip across the continent. Argentine has the best railroad system in South America, and her debt of over \$250,600,000 is principally due to this fact. The Pacific railway and the Great Western railway traverse the continent from Buenos Ayres well up into the Andes, and on these roads Miss Janie made fairly good time. While at Mendoza, about fourfifths of the distance across the continent, a mountain storm struck the town. washed away numerous houses and drowned 30 people. At Punta de Vacas the railroad ended, and the girl traveler was compelled to make the journey over the Andes on muleback. For days the mules picked their way along the narrow ledges, overlooking apparently bettomless precipices, where a single misstep meant death, but the plucky girl at last arrived at Valparaiso, Chile, and thence took steamer to San Francisco.

HER SILVER SPOONS.

THEY REMAINED HER PROPERTY, BUT WERE VERY COSTLY.

After Buying Them Three Times She Refused to Risk Them Any More-A Little Story Bearing on the Question of the Wife's Property Rights.

The following story was told in a paper read by Mrs. M. J. Coggeshall at a meeting of the Woman's Suffrage socusty of Des Moines and published in The Saturday Review of that city:

Today, when we women have not outgrown the pretty fad of collecting souvenir spoons, the great variety and beauty of which were unknown to our grandmothers, allow me to recall the story of a great aunt of ours who also loved spoons, but whose plain cupboard drawer contained no sets of dainty after dinner coffees like those from which we love to sip as we sit in our clubs and talk of culture.

This annt when a young woman was a teacher in a country school until she had saved enough money to indulge her great desire for a set of silver spoons. She was married soon after to the young man of her choice. Six years passed by -years of hard work and economy for both, happy years, though no children had come to bless their union-when by a sudden illness the husband was taken away. The day after the funeral the grieved wife was surprised by the entrance to her home of the two brothers of her husband, bringing with them the village lawyer. They told her they had come to set a value upon their brother's property, in order that she might know what part of it was hers.

She held her peace as they set down the worth of each article of furniture in the little home, until they finally came to the box of spoons.

Then she spoke and said: "These are mine. I bought them with my own

money before I was married."
"Yes; ma'am," said the lawyer, "but you know, ma'am, that after a lady is married everything belongs in law to her husband."

So all the little property was divided, the brothers taking half, and she took the spoons with the rest at the price that had been set upon them. But it obliged her to give up the home, and she, with her few effects, went into rented rooms and began life anew. Occasionally teaching a school and always sewing when possible, she supported herself very comfortably for about three years, when a lifelong friend of her husband, an excellent man, offered her his hand in marriage.

She liked him well, and her friends told her it was the best thing to do, and she thought with pleasure of again being mistress of a home. So they were

In a few years her busband's health declined, and for many months she gave him most tender and unceasing care. She had a few times spoken to him about making a will, but as it seemed an unpleasant subject she had ceased to mention it. Finally the end came. There had come to attend the funeral his nearest relative, a nephew from New England, whom she had never seen before. In a day or two he brought two men to the cottage to appraise the property, and again was there a price set upon the well preserved spoons. On the evening of that day as she was preparing supper the nephew entered the kitchen and said: "Aunt Liza, I am disposed to be very easy with you. The worth of all of uncle's property has been carefully estimated, and I will allow you to include in your half of it any article of furniture you may choose.'

And again she paid the price of her first darling purchase of silverware, but there was not enough left after the half was taken for her to keep the house and lot, so they went into the hands of strangers, and with her cat Aunt Liza again went into cozy, but hired rooms. She was a pattern of thaift and tidiness, as a smart widower of the neighborhood was well aware, and in less than a year he made a call upon the comely matron. He was wise enough to make his first visit short, but lingered a moment in the door and suggested that in the near future they become better acquainted.

She answered, "I am living here very comfortably, and I think, Mr. Johnson, that it will not be worth while for you to call," and closing the door hastily she turned to her cat and said:

"No, Tommy, I have bought those spoons three times, and I don't intend to risk them any more."

Bought the Ship That Brought Him. An interesting anecdote is told of the late Captain Theodore Julius. Some time ago Captain Julius went over to a shippard in Camden to take a look at the old packetship Tonawanda, which was being converted into a coal barge. The captain took a particular interest in the old ship, because of his having served as mate aboard her in the early sixties. While he stood watching the old vessel, a tall stranger approached him and asked, "Isn't your name Julius?" The captain replied in the affirmative. "You were a mate on that ship in the summer of 1863?" "Yes," said the captain. "You don't remember me," continued the stranger, "but I remember you very well. I was a steerage passenger on the Tonawanda at that time, being on my way to this country. I've been pretty prosperous, and I've just bought the old ship and am going to make a coal barge of her. Strange, isn't it, that I should come to own the ship that brought me, practically penniless, to this country?"-Philadelphia Record.

A Misapprehension,

"Only think," exclaimed Fenderson, "of the many uses to which paper is now put!"

"I know," replied Bass. "I was at the theater the other night, and I was told it was all paper, and it was a fine, substantial looking structure too."-Boston Transcript.

It Seemed So.

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Rebecca Wilkinson, of Browns-valley, Ind., says: "I have been in

a distressed condition for three

years from nervousness, weakness of

the stomach, dyspepsia and indiges-

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Three Days.

Morton L. Hill, of Lebauon, .Ind.,

rheumatism in every muscle and

joint; her suffering was terrible and

her body and face were swollen almost

beyond recognition; had been in bed

or six weeks and had eight physi-

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she tried the MYSTIC CURE FOR

RHEUMATISM. It gave immediate

relief and she was able to walk in

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MRS, WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used

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with pain of Cutting Teeth send at on e and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup' for

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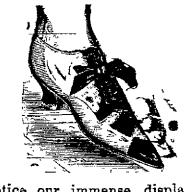
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Notice our immense display in north window of Oxford Ties-75 cts., \$1, \$1 25 and up. Follow the footpriats to

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\$50,000, in sums of \$5,000 and upward, on improved city property. \$1,000 on city property.

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One of the best Farms in Orange county, contains about 200 ac es.

House and Lot on Roberts street. Desirably located.

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In making your selection, get something sensible and useful, and JACOB GROH, East Main street, next to the Congregational Church, has just exactly what you want. Patent rockers, handsome rockers, beau line camp chairs, comfortable uptoistered chairs, and all the useful and beautiful articles that go to make up the stock of a first-class furniture store. All very cheap, as my expenses are but a fraction of North street dealers, and I give my customers the benefit. Remember the place.

JACOB GROH, Monthly Pains cured by Dr. Miles' Pain Pills. | Next to Congregational Church, East Main Se

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OF BUSINESS.

No sentiment about buying clothing-You want the best you can get for the least money. That is always what we try to give you. Our growing trade shows how well we please others Will you let us try it on you.

NO CHESTNUTS

In our stock to attract "Joy." Not very elegant language, but it is full of meaning-like most of slang words-what we mean is, that our goods are of the kind that are in demand by the best dressers. Our low-priced clothes are just as much "in style" as the high-priced.

A. J. CAHILL.

One Price Clothier.

SICK HEADACHE Positively cured by these Little Pills. They also relieve Distress from Dyspepsia Indigestion and Too Hearty Eating. A per

Small Price-



D. HANFORD'S,

34 Worth St.

Many very ridiculous resolutions are adopted by State legislatures in their extra patriotic moments, but we remember nothing quite equal to one passed by the Illinois Assembly, a few days ago. It is that it is the sense of the State Assembly that the women of Illinois should refuse to marry men who are not citizens, either by birth or naturalization.

Senator Lexow's bill reorganizing the Lunacy Commission in the interest of Republican politics, was an inevitable sequence of State care of the insane. The expenditures of the commission will hereafter amount to millions of dollars annually and the patronage under the indirect control of the Commission is so large that politicians cannot resist the temptation to grab it. It is not alleged that the present Commissioners are corrupt or inefficient or that they have abused the power or patrorage in their hands by using it for political ends, but their places are wanted by the grab-all "reformers" of the Legislature, and Mr. Lexow does not hesitate to father a measure which must inevitably result in the ultimate demoralization of this noblest of the State's charities. In former years and the canals and State prisons were hot beds of corruption and extravagance as a result o' their administration for purely political purposes. The same fate will attend State care of the insane if made an annex to the Republican machine.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Etlen Smith. From Our Goshen Correspondent.

Mrs. Ellen Smith, widow of the late Gabriel D. Smith, died at her residence, midway between Goshen and Hampton, at 10 o'clock, Thursday morning, of general debility, aged eighty-seven years. She had enjoyed her usual good health up to a few days ago. Mrs. Smith was born in the town of Goshen, and had lived on the farm where she died for the past fifty years. Her husband died about fifteen years ago. Mrs Smith was a member of the Goshen Presbyterian Church, and during her younger days was closely identified with the church work. She had many friends and relatives through out Orange c unty who will mourn her depatue from this life.

the leaves surviving two sons Mr. Benjamin S. Smith, of Middletown, and Mr. Moses Smith, of Montclair, N. J.

The funeral will be held from the Presbyterian Church, of this village, on Saturday afternoon, at 1 o'clock. Her remains will be interred in the family plot in Webb's Cemetery.

Mrs. Fannie A, Lee.

Mrs. Fanny A. Lee, widow of the late Morris W. Lee, died at the residence of her son, Squire Lee, 59 Hanford street, at 1:30 o'clock, this afternoon. She was eighty years old. Notice of funeral, to-morrow.

The Schubert Club Concert.

The Schubert Club promises to give the music loving people the finest concert yet rendered by them, at the Baptist Church, next Friday evening, May 10th. The Society has been very fortunate in securing the following artists to assist them.

Miss Hilke, a leading soprano, of New York city, whose wonderful voice held her audience spellbound at the Armory concert, last spring. Miss Howland, whose sweet voice never fails to please.

The Bodies Petrified

The Milford Dispatch cays that the body of Dr Isaac Craft, a physician who died fifteen years ago, in Milford, and was buried in private grounds, was exhumed, last Friday, and found to be petrified and in a perfect state of preservation, The remains of his wife, who was buried at his side, were also petrified.

Hi- Bream Came True

It is reliably stated that Olyde Mitchell, the boy who was drowne ! in the Delaware at Callicoon Depot. a few weels ago, dreamed three years ago that he would be drowned about six o'clock in the evening. He often spoke of the dream, which was verified in every respect by the circumstances of his untimely death.

No Searcity of Actors

Mr. Graves, proprietor of the Midway Park summer theatre, put an advertisement in the New York Chapper, yesterday, for actors. In the first ail, this morning, he received 140 letters.

The autograph letters testifying to cures made by Ayer's Sarsaparilla and other preparations are kept on file at the J. C. Ayer Co.'s office, Lowell, Mass. They are from all over the world and are cheerfully shown to anyone desirous of seeing

HOMER SARVIS ARRESTED. BY UNITED PRESS.

NEWBURGH, May 3.-The Chief of Police here has been notified that Homer Sarvie, of this city, has been arrested in New York.

BY UNITED PRESS.

at North Branch, Sullivan county.

BY UNITED PRESS.

LONDON, May 3 -The Star says that ing their horses in vesterday's races.

> THE FALLING OIL MARKET. BY UNITED PRESE.

PITTSBURG, May 3.—The Standard's price for oil, to-day, is \$1 70. In Oil City and Pittsburg. \$1 63 is bid.

> A SALARY BILL SIGNED. BY UNITED PRESS.

ALBANY N. Y., May 3 -The Gaverhor has signed the bill relative to to the salaries af Dutchess County Judges and the Surrogates of Orange | fired the shot. and other counties.

> KILLED BY LIGHTNING. BY UNITED PRESS.

NASHVILLE, Mich., Mav 3-Mrs. Dean Mix and ber son Harry were killed by lightning, last evening, while standing in the doorway of their barn.

IN FAVOR OF COULD AND SACE. They Win in the soldiers' Home \$11,000,000 Sufr.

BY UNITED PRESS. ALBANY, May 3-The Court of Ap peals, to-day, decided against the Soldiere' and Sailors' Home of St. Louis in the suit against Sage and the Gould estate to compel defendants to account for stock valued at \$11,000,000.

SECRETARY CRESHAM SERIOUSLY ILL

BY UNITED PRESS.

WASHINGTON, May 3 .- Secretary Gresham is suffering from gall stones. His condition is considered

POWDER MAKERS KILLED BY AN EX PLOSION. BY UNITED PRESS.

ACTON. Mass. May 3.-A powder employes were killed.

IN THE RAILROAD WORLD. -The old Eric dining hall at Narrowsburgh is being torn down.

-The Erie's new sixty hour freight

-What is known as the "chime" Pennsylvania Railroad, as its stand ard for passenger loco notives. A number have already been equipped with it.

In the Wiles of the charmers

From the Montice'lo Watchman

The practice of allowing an association of ladies to edit papers a day or and enjoy its system of Accident Ina week in behalf of some charitable surance. A free policy in the Fidel-Durpose seems to be spreading. The ty & Casualty Co-with each Guide.
MIDDLETOWN Argus has fallen bel re 33dlvrSep17'95 MIDDLETOWN ARGUS has fallen bei re the wiles of the charmers, and the paper will be published as a woman's edition on next Saturday, Mav 4.b. Mrs. J. A. McL. Ostrom, of Monti ceilo, is one of the editorial managers.

Thirty Years in Ausiness

The Board of Excise will meet next Monday, to grant licences, In looking over the list of licences R o ROCKAFELLOW & BRO, Undertakers granted thirty years ago, the name assistant, Telephone No 3 diyMent5 looking over the list of licences of Mr. Widiam Burke is the only one on the list this year. Tae others of that time have nearly all gone to their long homes.

The Grip,

An experience with this disease during all its past epidemics, warrants the bold claim that Dr. King's New Discovery will postively cure each and every case if taken in time, and patient takes the ordinary care to avoid exposure. Another thing has been proven, that those who have used Dr. King's New Discovery, escape the many troublesome after results of this disease. By all means get a bottle and try it. It is guaranteed, and money will be returned if no goodresults follow its use. Sold by McMonagle & Rogers.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve,

The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, sores, ulcers, lat rhoum, fever sores, tetter, chapped bands' chilblains, corns and all skin aruptions, and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents a box. For cale by McMonagle & Rogers. Good Cooking,

Nerve Tonic. It cures That Tired Feeling HYMENEAL

Kirkham -Green.

Mabel Lillian, daughter of Mr. R. Granville Green, formerly of Bullville, was married, Tuesday evening, at the residence of her parents, 2 074 Madison avenue, New York, to Isaac Cleveland Kirkham. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Emory J. NEW SULLIVAN COUNT POSTMASTERS | Haynes, D. D., pastor of St. James M. E. Church in the p esence of the WASHINGTON, May 3 -L J. Wag- family and intimate friends. Later ner has been appointed postmaster a reception was held which was very largely attended.

The bride's dress was white satan A BAD DAY FOR CROKER AND DWYER with duchesse lace trimmings. She wore diamond ornaments. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Croker and Dwyer lost \$150,000 back- Grace Edna Green, whose dress was pink satin, trimmed with white lace and pink satin ribbon.

A Fisherman Shot.

Mr. John Hayes, of Port Jervis, while fishing in a brook that runs through the farm of Ludwig Laux, near that village, was shot in the face, one of the shot striking him in the eye and destroying the sight. Mr. Hayes has secured a warrant for the arrest of Mr. Laux, who he said

EW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT JAS. P. TIGHE, Commission Broker, Stern Sullding, 15 Forth street, Middletown, P. Y.

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A Blugbamton Baby,

BINGHAMTON, N. Y., Sept. 21, 1893, Dr. Hand's Colic Cure brought a blessing to my house. My baby is eleven weeks old and had the colie since birth every day. Dr. Hand's Colic Cure gave him instant rener mill of the American Company here and I shall always recommend Dr. blew up this morning. The fiames Hand's Remedies for Children to all from burning ruins communicated to my friends.—Mrs. A. H. Gaige, 198 two others which also exploded. Five Nestle avenue. Dr. Hand's Colic Cure and Dr. Hand's Teething Lotion at all drug stores, 25c.

Is Marriage a Failure. Have you been trying to get the best out of existence without health train between New York and Ohica. in your family? Have you been go, is limited to eighteen cars, and wearing out your life from the effects on its initial trip beat the time of all of Dyspersia, Liver Complaint and other freights, it is said, by ten Indigestion? Are you sleepless at night? Do you awake in the morning feeling languid, with coated whistle has been adopted by the tongue and sallor, haggard looks? Don't do it. A shout in the camp tells how Bacon's Celery King has cured others; it will cure you. Trial package free. Large sizes 500, and 15c., at J. J Chambers 21 West Main

Ask for the Rand-McNally Guide

MYDR 3- In this city, May 2d, '93, Mrs. Hattie O. Myers, aged fifty years. Funeral services, Saturday afternoon, at one o'clock, at her late residence. No 27 Mulberry street. Interment in Hillside Come-

Friends who desire to pass by the casket may call. Saturday, after eleven o'clo ck a

Samuel Lipfeld, IX NAPP & MURRITT, Undertakers and Em balmers, corner West Main and James Sts. Lady assistant Telephone Nos 10 and 22

OUGHERTY & RILLLY, Undertakers and Embalmers, 30 Cottage street, Middletown Telephone 42-night and day

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Prices at

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Elgin, Best Dairy, Good, Fair,

We Invite Inspection to Our Display of Black Dress Fabrics.

We are showing all the new weaves, and the very best values in staple styles. Special attention is called to our French Serges at 40, 45, 50, 75c, and \$1 per yard, and Wool Henriettae at the same price. When you want Black Silks see us

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THEY WHAT

If you want a nobby suit, clothes or pantaloons, a stylish silk hat, derby or tourist hat, the satest in cases or umbrellas, the latest in neckwear, collars and cuffs, in fact anything in gents' furnishings.

Merchant Tailoring Department

All the latest in Foreign and Domestic Goods for suits, overcoats, extra trousers. Mr. Rogers can please the most fastidious. Why, go to

JOHN E. ADAMS'.

Leading Hatter, Clothier, Merchant Tailor and Gents' Furnisher No. 41 North Street, Middletown.

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Swivel Silks, 28 inches wide, for waists and evening cresses, 38 worth 60c.

New line of Dress Goods. See our window—\$1.69, \$1.85, \$2.69 per dress.

Ladies' Waists - 100 styles great bargeins.

SUMMER UNDERWEAR.

New prices, good goods for little money.

Corsets! Summer

39 and 50c. The best ever shown The above, a few pointers only.

39 NORTH ST

are here in biscuit form Try the Marshmallow Biscuits New Maple Syrup and Sugar. Garden and Flower Seeds, Rural New Yoyker, No. 2, Po ato-s for seed or table use. Genuine Bermuda Onions at

MAPES BROS.,

25 NORTH ST.

WE are open for business as

the extensive alterations and

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the building. Indeed, while

thus situated, we have placed

upon our counters a number of

special bargains in suits, pents,

shirts, hats, etc., that will well

repay an inspection by any in-

SAMUEL LIPFELD,

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tending buyer.

22c

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Koch Building, Corner West Main and Mill streets.

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Entire Wheat and Graham Flour, Grain, Mill Freds, Clover and Timothy Seed SEED OATS, HAY AND STRAW.

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Lace Curtains and Window Shades Laundered

at very reasonable prices, as our facilities for at very reasonable prices, as our lacilities for doing this class of work in a satisfactory man ner are unsurpassed. All goods called for and delivered. City agencies—B. A. Sayers, 12 North St.; C. S. Cooner*., 9 West Main St.; D. Babcock's. Lake and Wickham avenues; T. Cohalen's, 255 North street; Smith & Co.'s, Beattle avenue and Prince street.

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Middletown Steam Carpet Cleaning and Feather Renovating Works,

corner Fulton street and Sprague avenue. Orders received at Hoyt & Galloway's, Pronk's Pharmacy, Bull & Youtghlood's, Cornel's, its North street; D. Baoccek's, curner Lak and Wickhom avenues; L. B. A. Taylor's coal

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HANFORD & HORTON.

several times that we sell Pocket Books You may not have been interested before, perhaps you are

Let us show you our stock o Pocket Books, Purses, Card Cases and Bill Books. The goods and the prices will do the rest:

Combination Card Case and Pocket Book only 25c. All sorts of pocket conveniences in seal, lizard, alligator and Bussia leather.

We have some other things in Books and Stationery you may

6 North Street.

SPECIAL.

Misses' Tan Shoes, Lace and Button, all Sizes,

57 North St.

FIVE-FIFTY

That's the drop in price that two styles of Men's Suits have taken this week We have received a quantity of suits by chance which we cannot duplicate. The price is \$6 50, formerly \$12, for a worsted chevio; as fine a dress suit as you want at \$5 50. We are showing a busine s suit, formerly \$8 dark mixture; we want Iyou to see them.'

> Morris B. Wolf. Clothing. Hats. and Furnishings, 10 North Street.

SPECIAL SALE

For the next ten days we will give a discount of ten per cent. on all Boys' and Cnildren's Suits, including our new Spring Goods.

All goods marked in plain figures.

CEO. W. YOUNG.

The usual, notwithstanding First National Bank.

Interest Accounts.

Money left with the First National Bank of Middletown, on certificates of deposit for three (3) months, will draw interest at the rate of three (3) per cent, per annum,
By order Board of Directors,
SEYMOUR DEWITT, Cashier

No Spot on Earth Like the

CARPETBAG FACTORY,

when you want to buy Carpets.

Now when the busy housewife needs new window shades, they can be bought from us at 14c a window and prices up, all mounted, ready to hang. The old stand, the old firm; new goods, new prices. Oil Cloths, Linoleum.

MATTHEWS & CO.,

North and Roberts Streets,

Middletown.

WALL PAPER!

We have just received an other invoice of Wall Paper The people of Middletown appreciate quality, and know where to find the finest colorings and largest assortment, and at prices that are rock bottom. That's what talks. Our April business so far is 50 per cent. larger than last year. We are pleased to note this, and are satisfied that our efforts to get the best goods at the lowest possible prices, is what talks. Our Carpet Department is simply booming, and we are not surprised, as our assortment of floor coverings is simply im-Axministers, Body mense. Brussels, etc, at prices never before heard of. If there is any advantage in buying in large quantities, we are in shape to do u, as our buyer, Mr. C: E. Crawford is in New York every week. We are "up to date" in every line we carry We are headquarters in this part of the State for anything in furniture, carpets, creckery, wall paper, etc.

C.E. Crawford Furniture Co.

44-46 North street.

Have you heard of Lana Oil Complexion Soap?

This soap contains Lana Oil [taken from lamb's wool]. But termilk and Glycerine. Lana Oil is a skin food, not only done in the backing of the waters healing in its nature, but it erry. supplies the decaying tissues | -John Casey, of Middletown, and with that which is necessary to prolong the beauty of youth.

The Bath - Water is as necessary to the health of a lady as it is indispensable to her toilet. Plenty of clear, soft | the freight "on shad to Middletown? water with Graham's Lana Oil Complexion Soap, which is perfectly bland and neutral, together with soft fleecy towels, are accessories without which a beautiful skin cannot be secured.

Lana Oil Soap is delightfully perfumed.

10c per cake, 3 cakes for 25c McMonagle & Rogers, D.ug. gists, 30 North street

(Ask for Cash Checke.)



The celebrated Derby Waist, Lat. est novelties! Exclusive designs! in Percales, Madras, Lawns, Chev iots Linettes and Fancy Weaves in solid colors, stripes and figured materials.



DAILY ARGUS.

WEATHER INDICATIONS. BY UNITED PRESS.

Washington, D. C., May 3 .- Fair, except showers in southern portion to-night, followed by local raice, Saturday; warmer in southern portion to-night; southerly winds.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Woman wants a situation, country pre-- Bicycle shors at the Hub

Good suits \$5.50 at Morris Wolf's

Fine clothing at 8. Lipfeld's

"The Old Homeste d" at Casino, May 9to

"D to-date clothing at Chas. Emde's

-Shepard dog toes - Buits \$12.50 up at Middletown Clothing Manufactory -- Members of K. of P. see adv —Chocolate cream drops two pounds 250 a. Evans Bros'

-Trimmed hats cheap at New Idea
-Fresh groceries received daily at Bull &
Youngblood's —Another special sale on writing paper at

LIVE LOCAL TOPICS. -Telephone rates have been re-

duced in Paterson. -" Newest Devil's Auction" at the Casino, to-morrow night.

-Denman Thomp on's 'Old Homestead" will be played at the Casino,

Thursday evening, May 9th. -The public is invited to the athletic exhibition, this evening, at 8

-Middletown Lodge, No. 112. L. O. O. F., conferred the initiatory degree upon one candidate, last evening.

-The store of G. B. Adams will not be open to-morrow, until 3 p. m.. on account of the funeral of Mrs. Hattie O. Meyers.

-Onion growers on the Greycou-t meadows have about finished. Oa account of the backward_season planting was much later than usual.

-The "Davil's Auction" Company has played to big business during the season and comes well recommended. At the Casino to-morrow evening.

-Seven prisoners in the Binghamton jail, an of them held for the action of the grand jury, made an attempt to break jail, Wednesday night. The plot was discovered in time to frustrate it.

-A committee from Excelsion Hook and Ladder Co. will leave for Binghamton on train 1, to-morrow, to make a visit to the Excelsiors, of that city.

-Church announcemennts must be handed in, to-morrow, before 9 o'clock, or they will not appear in the W man's Edition.

-A special meeting of Surprise Hook and Ladder Co. will be held tomerrow afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at Albert Greene's residence, corner Short street and Linden avenue.

-Nelson Bull has sued the village of Chester for \$10,900 for damage of the new reservoir on his prop-

his gang of Western Union linemen, are in town setting new telegraph poles and making changes around the depot and freight house .- Hancock Herald

-Roe shad, save the Newburgh News, sold as low as ten cents apiece in that city, Wednesday. Who "pays

-Apropos of shad, the writer dined. te-day, off one costing forty cents. But after all, maybe a forty-cent Middletown shad tastes better than a ten-cent Newburgh shad-even if the latter were just out of the river.

-The next term of County Court and Court of Sessions, opening Morday, May 20th, will be held at New-

- 'Seven Springs Mountain House," neal Monrue, once upon a time crewded with patrons, is in the sere and yellow leaf and was closed, today, when all the moveables were put up at auction.

-A large delegation of the veterans of the 124 h Regiment went to Newburgh, to-day, and this evening will enjoy the hospitality of Undersheriff Henry M. Howell, at the annual banquet.

PERSONAL.

-We are pleased to be able to state that Mayor Stanebury passed a very comfortable night and is regarded as much better to-day.

-W. H. Rodgers, who has had iarge experience in the boot and shoe trade, has taken the place in S. Burnett's shoe store, made vacant by the resignation of A. P. Rifen-

-Mre. Holk D. Campbel', of Midiletown, is visiting her father, Capt. Edgar Brodhead, of this place .-Port Jerus Union,

-Harris G. Rodgers, President of the City National Bank of Binghamton, and Treasurer of the Binghamton Savings Bank, and one of the city's most honored citizens, dropped dead at 4.15, yesterday afternoon. Death was due to apoplexy,

The Trout Season Opened.

a good catch.

From the Port Jerus Union. The trout season opened in Pike

county Wednesday, many fishermen from this village took advantage of it. The shores of the streams and brooks were literally crowded with fishermen and many of the "speckled beauties" were taken from their native waters. Mr. Frank D. Peters landed one trout which weighed one pound and two ounces, which is the largest reported. Each of the many others who went in quest of this

THE COMMON COUNCIL.

PROCEEDINGS OF LAST EVENINGS RECULAR MEETINGS

Want a Condult Instead of a Bridge on Monhagen Avenue-Objected to Paying for a Sidewalk -Raised Ris' \$300 to \$2,500-street Improve ments Ordered-Wawa-Canal-streetyanda Avenue.

A regular meeting of the Common Council was held, last evening, all the members being present.

W. B Royce, Esq , appeared in behalf of J. W. Gardner, who is selling lots on East Main street and asked that the street line be straightened so as to make it of uniform with of 60 feer, a release of Mr. Gardner's lands being tendered to the city. The matter was referred to the Street Committee.

Mr. J. V Z Anthony presented a petition of property owners on West Main St., and Monhagen Ave , saking that the work of widening the Monhagen avenue bridge, ordered by Council, be stopped and that a conduit be bui-t in place of the bridge as it would benefit the properties of several people in the neighborhood. He estimated the cost of a conduit at

Mr. A. V. Boak also spoke in favor of discontinuing the work on the bridge and building a conduit.

Mr. Hirst said that if the people in that neighborhood wanted a conduit and were willing to pay for it, he saw no reason why they should not be allowed to have it, provided they were willing to pay the additional cost, it

"But," he added, "I am opposed to expanding any public money for the benefit of private property."

Mr. Beed said the material was on the ground and he opposed stopping the work, and like Mr. Hirst, did not believe in spending public money for private benefit.

Mr. Anthony said he was satisfied that parties interested would take the work off the hands of the city. Mr. Dorrance thought the "Board"

could not do anything in the matter as there was no assurance that the parties would pay the bills. Mr. Funnell thought the matter ought to lie over for a time, and i

was dropped. Henry Smith objected to paying a bill for the laying of a sidewalk in front of his premises. He had contracted with a man to lay the walk and the Street Committee had sent another man to do it and expected him to pay the bill. He said the work had not been properly done. Referred to a special committee, which the President failed to name.

Notices were filed by Gabrie Colby and William Coleman that pension money and therefore were from exposure to winter's driving not subject to tex.

for \$300 for injuries from falling upon an ley sidewalk on William street, withdrew the claim and filedanother for \$2,500, alleging that his irjuries were permanent. City Engineer Smith presented a

map of Monhagen avenue and said that a five foot conduit, which had been recommended, was not large enough to carry off the water.

Petitions for grading, flagging and curbing of portions of Academy avenue, Beattie avenue and Sprague avenue were referred to the Street Committee.

Oa motion of Mr. Sinsabauah the resolution of Mr. Ludington, passed last winter, ordering the flagging of the sidewalk on Monhagen avenue from West Main street to the Asylum was rescinded.

Mr. Hirst called for the reading of the resolution and said that he could ees no occasion for recinding it.

Mr. Sineabaugh said he thought it should be rescinded and a new ore fixing the width of the walk should

Mr. Dorrance insisted on a vote to rescind "Mr. Ludington's resolution" and it was reacinded, and then a new resolution, ordering a six foot sidewalk, was passed.

A petition asking that Prospect avenue, north of East Main street, be accepted was read.

Mr. Sinsabaugh wanted to know if the street had been released, but no one being able to answer, Mr. Hiret asked that the matter be laid over for investigation, but Mr. Hirst being a Democrat and in a hopeless minority could not get a se ond to his motion to investigate the matter, and a motion to accept the stree-

On motion of Mr. Sinsabaugh a flag walk was ordered on the south side of Monhageh avenue from West Main street to Wilkes avenue.

A request of the City Engineer that | quarts. California avenue be accepted was referred to the Street Committee.

The City Engineer was asked to prepare a map of the proposed extension of the North street sewer from the terminus to Wisner avenue. On motion of Mr. Funnell the City Engineer was allowed a helper at same salary as last year.

On Mr. Sin-abaugh's motion the Superintendent of Streets was allowed one dollar a day for horse hire

On motion of Mr. Mance it was ordered that all assessments on account of the North street pavement unpaid on June 1st, be placed in the gamy fish, were successful in making hands of the City Attorney for collection.

On motion of Mr. Reed, the owners of Lenox Place, were ordered to re-

place the flugging on Liberty street. On Mr. Reed's motion the Electric Light Co., was ordered to grade its

On motion of Mr Manca, the Attorn-y was ordered to make a formal application to the courts for the appointment of a commission in the matter of the opening and extending of Linden avenue, through the lands of W. S. Wallace.

It was ordered that Harding street be curbed on both sides from Harford street to the Erie tracks.

On motion of Mr. Sinsabaugh West Main Street was o dered curbed from Knox's crossing to the Asylum gate. Mr. Bastian reported that Grace

Church steeple is all right and not in a dangerous condition. Mr. Mance called up the matter of

the change of name of Canal street, and desired to go on record as opposed to giving two names to the Mr. Sinsabauzh m ved that the

street be named Wawayanda avenue

beyond Fulton street. Mr. Funnell seconded the motion and it was carried, some of the members not voting. A petition for curbing Canal street, from Fulton street to Conkling avenue, was granted, but as Canal street does not exist beyond Fulton street,

it is doubtful if the order is legal. The following bills were audited: Pay roll...... \$149 60 A. H. Reed..... W. H. Mapes

BLOSSOMS ON THE IRON HORSE

Railroad Men Give Token of Their Welcome of the Coming of Sweet Springtime.

As an eastbound Eric freight train went thusdering onward through this city, last evening, it was seen that the "cowcatcher" of the engine pulling it was profusely decorated with branches of apple and cherry trees in full bloom. To one person who saw this, this question occurred: "What inspired this? Was it native sense and love of the beautiful in nature, with longing to give outward and visible expression to this sentimeht? Possibly this, and this only," was the answ r. But, upon reflection, it seemed to this curious inquirer there was even a deeper meaning for it; and then came the thought of how glad the coming of the aweet Springtime must be to the toiling and weather exposed man at the throttle and man at the furnace of the blossom bedecked monster; how for them this season of budding flowers, of greening fields and unfettered waters is not only a thing of joy to the senses, but means for them a meeting of Council presented a claim and life, which then confront their hazardous calling.

Yes, it must have been this that moved these sons of toil to decorate their iron horse with emblems of the advent of the joyful Springtide.

A Diamond Rattler.

Mr. Geo. N. Clemson, who spent the winter in the South, has presented to Mr. Jacob Gunther, a mounted rattle snake, which is six feet long and has fourteen rattles. It is what is known as a diamond rattler and is ing, for being drunk and disorderly. ve y bandsome.

A Rorse Mired in the Black Dirt Ditch. A borse belonging to Oliver Wells which was attached to a plow was driven into the ditch in the black and Mre, A. Neafie, in this village. dirt meadows, yesterday, and sank into the mire up to its neck. It took half a dozen men an hour and a half to extricate the animal.

To Sue the Postal Telegraph Company Attorney F. H. Cassidy, of Newburgh, is about to bring suits for sundry New Windsor farmers against the Postal Telegraph Company for damages for erection of poles and

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"Hank" Ward, one of the famous Ward brothers of Cornwall, who when in their prime were the fourourn d champions of the world was found dead in his bed, in his little house at Crawbuckey beach, near Sing Sing, yesterday morning. He was about seventy years of age.

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(From Our Regular Correspondent) -Rev. Warren Hathaway, of Wash ingtonville, gave a brilliant lecture in Music Hall, last night, on "Washington and His Times." Owing to other entertainments in town, the audience was not as large as the lecturer and the subject deserved.

-Mr. George W. Murray, Senator W. P. Richardson, Col. Geo. Zonn, and Mesers W. P. Thompson, Robert J. Hock and F. S. Wetmore started yesterday, for Old Point Comfort and Richmond, Va. They will return next week.

-Arnor Day was appropriately celbrated in the several departments of the public school to-day.

-A new awning is being erected to the VanNort store building, on West Main street.

-An illegitimate child born in the Green " neighborhoud, Monday night, died in a suspicious manner, Wednesday. Dr. Ward performed an autopsy, yesterday, but finding no traces of a crime having been committed, he gave a certificate of death from natural causes.

-A colored boy was struck by the Middletown Way train at this station last night, but escaped with very slight mjuries.

-The pupils of the public school will nold a prize speaking contest in Music Hall, Monday evening, May 13. -Farmers will remember the milk meeting in the Goshen Court House,

at one o'clock, Saturday afternoon. -Communion services in the Presbyterian Church, Sunday morning, and preparatory meeting in the churen to-morrow afternoon at two ruffles and jet, at \$7.50 o'clock.

-Members of the Epworth Leazue gave a grand entertainment in the M. E. Church, last night.

-Mr. George C. Miller and family will return from New York to their residence in this village, to-morrow. -Regular rehearsal of the Goshen Vocal Society, to-night:

-A delegation from Court Goshen, their properties were bought with long period of happy exemption Wednesday night, and presented a A. O of F., went to Montgomery, handsomely engros ed set of resolustorms of elect and snow and the tions to Court Wallkill, of that vil-William Davis, who at the last many times increased danger to limb lage, as a testimonial of the hospitality extended to the members of Court Goshen on the occasion of their visit to their Montgomery

bretheren, last winter. -Dr. Aithur Pell, of Brooklyn, was in Goshen, yesterday, calling on his old friends and patrons.

-Officer Whidden has moved into the house of Mr. C. A. Reeves, on South street.

-Emmet Hawkins and Anthony Johnson each paid three dollars to the Folice Justice, yesterday morn-

-Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Young entertained the Original Glee Club, at their residence, Wednesday night. -Mrs. Russell Straight, of Bradford, Pa., is visiting her parents, Mr.

-The court house is now occupied by Sheliff Beakes and family. They removed there Wednesday, from South street.

-Mrs. Sarah Matthews and daugh ter have returned to their Summer residence in this village.

-A committee of ladies from Middletown was in town, te-lay, and made arrangements with Messrs Horton & Dean, for the sale of the Moths, Woman's Edition of the Argus, tomorrow.

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Whereas her dear small prudencies
Make me a fenced demesne to dwell in.
—J. W. H. Crasland.

PUPPY LOVE.

I was 19, and pretty Lois Tauner was three years my junior. Sweet 16! Is there in all this world anything sweeter? There may be other sweet sixteens, but the comparative degree of the adjective in this connection has grown rusty from long disuse, and sweet 16 remains positive in kind and superlative in degree.

And Lois Tanner was 16.

From the first day of our meeting—we were the children of wealthy parents and were summering by the sca-some intangible influence, some inexplicable force seemed to draw us to each other and to run the lines of our lives parallel For two years we had known each other, and one day-it was the third summer after our meeting—we sat on the rocks by the shore, and as the waves beat in rhythmic measures upon the silver sand stretching out at our feet I looked into her sweet blue eyes and knew that Lachesis, as, she drew two threads from Clothio's spindle, was twisting them into one cord, forever indivisible.

In early youth how far the eyes, undimmed by years, can see into the future, and how keen is young love to decipher the handwriting on the wall!

"Lois," I said as we sat there in the fading twilight,"do you know how long

we have known each other?" "Does it seem long, Mr. Beldon?" she replied, with a coy little smile. "It has been two entire years, Miss

Tanner, 'said I, falling into her mock formality of manner. "And one learns a great deal in two

years," she added.

"In one direction I have learned nothing, Lois," I said, with a quietness I did not feel.

"Why, Jack," she exclaimed, "I don't see how you could stand still."

"But I have," I insisted. "How?" and her eyes looked her guilelessness.

"In loving you, Lois," I broke forth, "I couldn't love you any more in a thou-sand years than I loved you after our first meeting. "Oh, Jack," she cried nervously,

'what made you say that?" "Why shouldn't I say it?" I answered, with a dogged resolve not to be put

down by any woman's whim. "Because, Jack," she said very earnestly, "papa has been saying all along

that you and I were together too much, and the first thing the family knew there would be a case of puppy love to cure." "Did your father say that?" I asked, with the anger showing in my face.

"He did, Jack, and he says"-"Well, I don't want to hear what he says, or has said, or will say," I interrupted. "If he says anything like that, he doesn't know what he is talking about and hasn't the most remote idea of what a man truly in love with the one wom-

an in all the world for him feels." "He ought to know something about it," Lois said hesitatingly. "You know, Jack, he has been married three times.'

"That's just it," I growled. "He's grown callous. He thinks because I am not 100 years old I don't know my own heart and am irresponsible into the bargain. If it weren't for you, Lois," I added, ameliorating my wrath to a slight extent, "I wouldn't have a man like he is for my father-in-law under any circumstances.

"Papa isn't so awfully bad, Jack," she said in externation of the paternal weakness.

"I never thought he was either until you told me what you have," I admitted. "But, Lois," and I grew hard again, "you must know that no father. who regards the future happiness of his daughter can take the position he does and assume to dictate the course of two lives which in the nature of things must be independent of his."

"Papa says your papa said the same thing and agreed with him thoroughly,* she replied, arguing as women do.

"Lois," I said in my firmest tone, 'don't speak to me of your father again. If you do, I shall be tempted to do him some bodily injury."

The dear little woman laid her hand on my arm restrainingly and smiled with such irresistible sweetness that I even forget the wound my own father had given me.

"Let it go, dear," she pleaded. "They have forgotten they were ever young." The shadows were growing into a deeper purple, and the waves took on the mellower shades of the evening sky. The night wind, just rising, tossed Lois' golden hair about her smooth white forehead, and the pink of the sunset brought a rosier glow to her cheeks. I brushed

"Do you remember what I said a few moments ago?" I asked, returning to the previous subject.

my hand across my eyes and looked into

"What did you say?" she replied, trembling a little, I thought, for she surely could not have forgotten so soon. "I said, darling"-it was the first time I had ever called her that, and it almost frightened me-"I said that there was one thing I had not learned in the last two years, and that was to love you better than I did when I first met you. Do you think I should have learn-

"Perhaps, Jack," she blashed, "if you had, you would have gone ahead of

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could feel the blood fly along my neck, a and my hands shook so I could not have put them out to her if she had asked me to. I had never spoken of love to a woman, and now my inexperience was painful to me. I knew that 'the brave man could win a triumph now, but I was not brave. On the contrary, I was a coward, an arrant coward, and in my fear I slipped down off the rock where we had been sitting and walked out upon the

"Where are you going, Jack?" she called to me. "I don't like to be left here all alone. I'm sure Charlie Verder wouldn't treat me like that."

That was enough to set me wild. Verder was the one fellow I dreaded, and he hadif't known her six months either. I went back to the rock and stood at the foot of it, just near enough to touch the hem of her gown-such a sweet, white gown, with a bit of blue showing through it as the blue sky peeps in and out from the fleecy white clouds.

"Do you like him?" I asked sullenly. "Not any more, I guess, than you like Mattie Swann," she retorted, with a perk of her nose and a shake of her finffy hair.

"Then you like him pretty well," I said in worse humor than ever, and quite insistent upon nagging her all I

"Perhaps I do," she snapped, "and, if I do, I'm sure he is a very nice fel-

"Not any nicer fellow than Mattie Swann is a girl," I put in as mean as I knew how.

"Well, I don't care," she said as she slipped off the rock and touched the sand as lightly as a thistledown. "I'm going home, and when you get me to come away off down here in this lonesome place again at this time of day, or any

other time, I think you'll know it."

Then she started off along the beach toward the row of cottages. It was a mile or more, and I thought I would keep within call, so I let her get some distance ahead of me. I poked along behind, gazing out to sea and wondering where all the beauty of the purple shadows had gone, and why it was the waves looked so cold and cruel and clammy. They were the same shadows, and the same waves, and there I was. and-but where was Lois? Fifty yards up the shore and hurrying along as if she were afraid of twilight ghosts or other strange inhabitants of the crepuscular air. I looked over my shoulder nervously, and all around, and shivered What it was I don't know, but on the instant I called to her and went after my call as fast as I ever ran after a football.

"Lois, Lois!" I kept on calling, but she gave no heed. Her face was set away from me and she was going with it rapidly. But not so fast that I could not catch her in the next 50 yards or so.

"Oh, Mr. Belden," she said in a tone of pretty surprise as I came up panting by her side, "how you frightened me! I had no idea you were on the beach this evening." Think of that, and still her father

having the temerity to talk about puppy love! If that wasn't full grown mastiff sarcasm, I'd like to know what it was. But I was not to be thwarted by a woman's whim now, any more than I was in the beginning. "Oh, Lois, Lois," I pleaded, though I puffed as I did so. "Don't talk like

that. We are not children to let a trifle come between us and our love. You know I love you, and I know I love you. It was because I love you so that I grew wild with jealousy when you spoke of Verder. I don't care a rap of my finger for Matrie Swann, even if you do like Charlie Verder."

"Mr. Belden," she began very stiffly— "Call me Jack," I cried, with all my feeling come again. "Call me Jack, as you have always called me." "Perhaps I'd better," she said coldly. 'You have acted so childishly that Mr.

seems searcely an appropriate title." "You shan't talk that way to me, Lois Tanner," I exclaimed as I stepped in front of her and blocked her path. "I have done wrong, and I apologize humbly for it. Now, as a lady, you cannot do otherwise than accept it.'

"I accept the apology, and pray let that end the matter." "No; it shall not. I insist upon your accepting the apology and the apologizer as well. I want you, Lois, and that's what I started to tell you down there on the rocks. Answer me now, with only

the sea, and the sky, and the sweet twilight as witnesses. I was about to take her hand and more tenderly urge my claim to an answer, when she gave a slight scream and sprang to one side as if she had stepped

on a mouse in the sand. "Look there," she whispered, pointing to a couple scated on an old spar half in the sand, and who until then were not visible. I looked and saw Verder and Miss Swann, very close together and talking earnestly.

"Let them be witnesses also, if they will, darling," I said bravely, and this

time I took her hand in mine. But is was too dark for them to see, and when Lois and I walked by them in the duskier shadows of the later evening she had promised to be my wife, and though the great sun of the heavens had set over the world and the earth was full of shadows the greater sun of love had risen in our hearts, and they were

filled with the light inextinguishable. That was a dozen years ago, and today Lois is the proud and happy mother of three of the prettiest and sweetest children in the world, except four that

I am the proud and happy father of. She is Mrs. Charles Verder, and Mrs. Belden was Miss Swann.—Detroit Free

Why He Paused.

"I ought to have known better than to come hear," said the departing drum-mer to the landlord. "I was told beforehand that it was a one horse town," "Well, there's no use of kicking now,"

was the placid response. "No: I just wanted to stop long enough to express my sympothy for the horse,"-Washington Star.



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Office of the Pioneer Press Co., C. W. Hornick, Supt. St. Paul, Minn , Sept. 7, 1994 Eureka Chemical & Mig. Co., La Crosse, Wis. Eureka Chemical & Mig. Co. La Crosse, Wis.

Dear Sirs—I have been a tobacco fiend for many years, and during the past two years have smoked fitteen to twenty cigars regularly every day. My whole nervous system became affected, until my physician told me I must five up the use of tobacco for the time being at least. I tried the so-called "Reeley Cure," "No-To-Bae," and various other remedies, but without success, until I accidentilly learned of your "Baco-Curo," Three weeks ago to-day I commenced using your preparation, and to-day I consider myself completely cured: I am in perfect health, and the horrible craving for tobacco, which every inveterate smoker fully appreciates, has completely left me. I corsider your "Baco-Curo" simply wonderful, and can fully recommend it.

Yours very truly, C. W. Fornick.

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Yours very truly,

Rodden, Ill., Jan. 14, 1895.

Eureka Chemical & Mig. Co. La Crossec, Wis.
Dear Sirs—I have been, a tobacco hend for thirty-three years and during the past two years have used chewing tobacco very extensively. My nervous system bears affected considerable. I have often tried to give up the use of tobacco, but always fuiled, until I bought three boxes of your "Baco-Curo" I used tobacco at the same time while taking "Baco-Curo" and after a week I lost the appetite for tobacco—smoking or chewing. I am enjoying better health, and consider your "Baco-Curo" the safest, most harmless and reliable remedy for to break the tob acco habit. Yours truly,

Postmaster, Rodden, Ill.
Rodden, Ill., Jan. 15, 1895.

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Independence, Wis., Jan. 22, 1895.

Eureka Chemical & Mig. Co., LaCrosse, Wis.

Gentlemen—Last summer I furnished Mr
James Reid, of the town of Burnside. Trempealeau Co., with three boxes of your "Baco-Curo".

He had chewed tobacco for over forty years
and the last year used over sixty-five pounds.

He commenced using "Baco-Curo" and one box
did not have the effect, when he had used
about one-half of the second box, he began to
le-se his taste for tobacce, and when he had
used one-half of the third tox he had lost all
his appetite for it, and is now entirely cured.

Yours truly. J. C. TAYLOR, Druggist.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN.

This is to certify that I, William S. Sawyer This is to certify that I, William S. Sawyer of Atiantic, County of Cass, State of Iowa, having been an inveterate smoker of tobacco, bought three loves of "Baco-Curo" Dec. 21, 1894. Began taking same according to directions and can say that I am completely cured of the tobacco habit "Baco-Curo" is simply wonderful and I recommend it to all who are slaves to the tobacco habit and wish to be cured. I am in perfect health and have not felt so well in years. That terrible craving, which every tobacco user has more or less, has completely disappeared and I feel like a new man Hoping that this may do some one good and lead them to try this wonderful ramedy, "Baco-Curo," I remain, Yours traly

Curo," I remain, Yours truly,
WM. S. SAWYER, Atlantic, Iowa "Baco-Curo," and after a week I lost the appetite for tobacco-smoking or chewing. I am enjoying better health, and consider your "Baco-Curo" the safest, most harmless and reliable remedy for to break the tob acco habit.

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Dear Sirs -I have used chewing tobacco very extensively the past thirty years. I tried so-called "No-To-Bac" and other remedies, but without success, until I beught three boxes of your "Baco-Curo." I continued chewing tobacco while talking the preparation and find that the horrible craving for tobacco has left me, and I consider myself cured. I can fully recommend "Baco-Curo" to any person wishing to break themselves of the lobacco habit.

Yours very truly,

D. S. Whith.

SAXS OF "ILLCO-CURO."

WHAT MR. KRAEMER SAYS OF "BACO-CURO." ASLANTIC, Iowa, Feb. 4, 1895.

This is to certify that I, F. D. Kraemer, of Atlantic, Iowa, was an inveterate smoker of eigarettes for more than two years.

Whent eight weeks 250 I bought three boxes of "Baco-Curo" I began taking it according to directions, and after taking one and one-half boxes, all the desire for eigarettes left me, and I have had no desire since.

directions, and atter taking one and one-mail boxes, all the desire for eigercties for the and a have had no desire since.

I can heartily recommend "Baco-Curo" to all who are sleves to the digarette habit or tobacco habit in any form, and are in search of a cure. I had become so under the influence of digarettes. I could not remember anything; could not study, unless under the influence of drug, which is death in the end if kept up.

Cigarettes are sapping the lives out of more boys and young men to-day, than anything that is known to the world. Boys, before it is too late get some of this remedy that killed the craving for eigercties in me and save your young life. Restore vourself to manhood. You will feel as though you had escaped an awful doom, and you have, when cured by "Baco-Curo," for you feel like a new being. I never felt better in all my life than at this pre-sent writing. I did not know what was the matter with me, until informed by the agent. He told me what was the reason beould not do anything unless under the influence of the death-dealing poison found in cigarettes. I do not believe him at first, until he explained the action of the system. There, bought the goods and thank God and all concerned. I am a sound person to-day. Hoping the this day reach the unfortunate eigerctic senser, I remain. Yours respectfully.

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It wasn't late when the Pitcher street man came home, and notwithstanding he we ked in with a smile and sat down on the other side of the lamp stand from his wife and picked up a newspaper as men do when they come home, she, for some unaccountable reason, suspected him. She looked up over her work at him two or three times and finally spoke: "By the way, John," she said, "will you

do me a favor:

'Certainly, my dear; what is it?" said "I want you to say this for me, 'Gaze on

the gay gray brigade.' " "Graze on the gray gay bigrade," replied

John triumphantly.

"Lovely," she exclaimed. "Now try this one, 'Give Grimes Jim's gilt gig whip,'"

"Grive Jimes Gim's gig jilt whip," re-

sponded John, as glibly as you please. "Excellent, excellent," she cried. "Now

this one, 'Sarah in a shawl shoveled soft snow softly.' " He shivered a little, but never let on.

Sharah in a sawl soveled shoft snow softly," he said, with oratorical effect. "Oh, you dear old thing," she laughed. "Now one more and then I won't trouble

you again.''

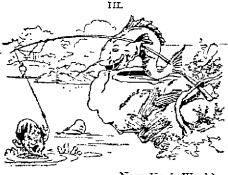
"No trouble, I assure you, my dear," said John. "Go ahead."
"Well, say this, 'Say, should such a shapely sash such shabby stitches show." John gave a great gulp to his Adam's apple, which oscillated in his throat. My dear," he said slowly, "I begin to

shuspect that you shuspicion me, but you are mistaken—entirely mistaken, and I positively decline to pose further as a pronouncing dictionary. You have observed that I have made a sucshess as far as I have gone, but there is a limit, and the next thing I know you will be asking me to say 'the scene was tuly rural,' a thing I never could say-without getting my tongue twisted, and you will think your shuspicions are well grounded, when you much to know they are not at 2. ought to know they are not." And John buried himself in his newspaper and utterly refused to hear any further appeals from the other side of the table.—Detroit Free

Turning the Tables.







-New York World.

Obliged to Be Abstemious. "Stranger," he said as he presented his pocket pistol, "join me in a drink. You will find that the real old stuff."

"Thanks, no liquor," was the reply. "Well, will you smoke a cigar?"

"Not any cigars." An old gentleman who had observed all this grasped the stranger warmly by the hand. "Sir," he said, "it fills my heart with

joy to see a young man like you turn away from such vile destroyers. "Yes, sir." the young man replied, "you

see I'm a prizefighter in training, and I've got to go slow."—Texas Siftings.

Tact.

Mrs. Smallwort-You are the most ridiculous ninny. The idea of your calling the cook in to compliment her on that beefsteak, when you know it was simply

horrid. Smallwort-I know my business. She will be wanting a raise in wages next week; she won't get it; she will quit; we will be rid of her without a fight.-Cincinnati Tribune.

Rurt Him.

Mrs. Testem-If I give you a dinner. would you be willing to work if I should ask von?

Weary Willie-Oh, I'm sure ver wouldn't ask me ter do anything like dat, mum. Yer don't look like a lady dot would insult a gentleman —Brooklyn Life.

Will It Ever Happen?

Prospective Tenant-There are a good many things about the house that I like very well, but I can't take it, after all. Landlord-Why not?

Prospective Tenant-Because it has too many closets.—Somerville Journal.

Much More.

"Young man,' said the corn fed philos opher, "while it may be true that cold hands are a sign of a warm heart, it is more to the purpose to remember that they are a sure sign of cold feet."-Indianapolis

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"People who are drilling for petroleum are a benevolent set." "How do you figure that out?"

"They, are well wishers."-Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

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Miss Thirtysmith (coyly)-And the last thing dear Tueobald and was to kiss me. Sally Gav -- Dear mel Was it as f to as that? - Truth.

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WEST BOUND.

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46-Academy avenue and Genung street,
47-Myrtle and Prospect avenues,
48-Grant street and sprague avenue
87-Frankin Sonne

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24 - West Main street, corner Wickham avenue,
25 - North street, corner Wickham avenue,
26 - James and Henry streets.
27 - Nor h and John streets, Eric crossing.
28 - i ake avenue and West street,
29 - W. Main street, corner Monhagen avenue,
214 - Prospect street and Highland avenue,
34 - Fulton and Mill streets hat shops
35 - High and Hanford streets,
36 - Canal street, condensery.

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Blauy Head of Well Bred Trotting Horses Sold at the Coshen Driving PACK.

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Authority, foaled 1891, by Autograph. Dam Elsie Wilkes. Peter Wan Wagner, Paterson, \$96. American Beauty, b. f., foaled 1894,

thy Stamboul. Dam Elsie Wilkes. Dr. F. W. Seward, Gosher. \$100.

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Dr. Seward, \$120. Gillie, ch. f., foaled 1891, by Manefield. Dam Crown Princess. Geo. B. Smith, \$55.

Verelia, b. f., foaled 1893, by Nut Pan. Dam Crown Princess. David Smith, Monroe, \$130. Grown Princess, foaled 1872, by R-

E. Morris. Dam Lady Messinger, in Toal by Stamboul. E. E. Garvin, N. ¥., \$69.

Prince Ahmed, foaled 1894, sired by Stamboul. Dam Elysia. F. Hagamyer, N Y., \$400.

Safia, b, f, foaled 1894, sired by Bramboul. Dam Queen Anne. F. Hagamyer \$105.

Treasure, b. f , foaled 1890, by An-Conlo 28 83 Dam Tae Bell, by Ken Tanky Prince. David Tuers, Montclair, N. J., 8325. Gipsey Medium, b. m., foaled 1885,

By Happy Medium. Dam Allie Thompson. W. E. Robbins, Goshen,

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Hangover, b. g., by Polonius, dam Dy Sampson. James A. Townsend, Newburgh, \$395.

Corporal Wilkes, bay stallion, by Aloyone, dam Qui Vive. Samuel Wilkin, \$50.

Gray Filly, four-year-old, by Polcinius, dam by Norwood. A. C. Gu.Imar, \$64. MER OPERTY OF WALLELL STOCK FARM, S.

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Brown Mare, foaled in 1891, sire Thurman, dam by Ohosrose. E. E.

Topaz, bay mare, foaled April, 1883. sire Sampson. Evenezer Bull, Hamptonburgh, \$97.

Brown colt, foaled in 1894, sire Corporal Wilkes, dam by Kentucky Prince. George Gillett, Middletown,

TROPERTY OF MRS M. L. BUTTRICK, BROOKLYN.

Elepeth, roan mare, served Aug, '94, by Darlington. Peter Van Wag.

mer, Paterson, \$116. Nelly McKean, bay mare, foal 1891. Dam Nellie H. Samuel Wilkin.

CONSIGNED BY GUY MILLER, CHESTER Pair twin bay mares, foaled 1888, by Darlington. James Van Nuyse,

Chester, \$56.

Goshen, \$22. Meg, sorrel mare, nine years old. Ebenezer Bull, Hamptonburgh, \$57. · CONSIGNED BY JAMES GOODWIN, GOSH-

EN. N. Y. Bay mare, foaled 1890. Sired by Red King. Dam by Sweepstakes.

Henry Landy, Goshen, \$200. PROPERTY OF JAS. VAN NUYSE, GOSH-

EN, N. Y. Bay filly, foaled 1892, by Fitch Clark 2.314. Dam said to be by a

son of American Star. Philip Hasbrouck, Montgemery, \$25. PROPERTY OF DECKER GOBLE, DECKER

TOWN, N. J. Prince Alcazar, foaled March, 1888.

Dam Dimple. D. McGasby, Deckertown, \$100.

# A Fifteen Year Old Girl's Suleide,

Edith Beach, a fifteen-year-old Etri, who killed herself at the home of her uncle, Lewis Knapp, at Lew Seach, Saturday, is supposed to have preferred death to being sent away to school. All arrangements had seen made for her to go to school at ' Margaretville, and no other reason for self-destruction can be suggested.

# Relief in One Day,

SOUTH AMERICAN NERVINE relieves the worst cases of Nervous Prostration, Nervousness and Nervous Dyspepsia in a single day. No such relief and blessing has over come to the invalids of this country. Its powers to cure the etomach are won derful in the extreme. It always oures; it cannot fail. It radically ou res all weakness of the stomach and never disappoints. Its effects are marvelous and surprising .- It gladdens the hearts of the suffering and brings immediate relief. It is a luxury to take and always safe. Trial bottles 15 cents. Sold by J. E. Mills, Druggist, Middletown, N. Y.

GRAND TRUNK OFFICIAL.

Iusomnia No Longer a Terror of the Hard Worker White Paine's Celery Compound Exists-Mr. N. J. Grace Speaks in Praise of It.

One of the clearest complexioned, best looking men in Boston to day, eays the Boston Globe, is a prominent New England agent of a great ral!road, who uses Paine's celery compound spring and fall, and whose wife spring months.

Mr. N. J. Grace, of the Grand Trunk, is a modest man, one of the best-liked gentlemen in Bostor, and a thorough railroad man.

When asked about the merits of Paine's celery compound he said he himself and in his family for two years, with the most gratifying

"My boys are using it now," he said, "and I believe there is no better spring medicine than Paine's celery compound. A touch of rheumatism first urged me to try it, and times after that, when run down, as most every one is at intervals through the year, I found that it revived the vital spark and made me feel better. Never in all my experience among men have I heard a remedy so highly spoken of. Friends of mire bave used it with splendid results for dyspepsia and liver complaint, while for insomnia, a neighbor of mine tells me that it will banish it in a night."

Mr. Grace is one of the healthiest looking men to be met with in Boston to day. For full- 30 years he has been with the Grand Trunk, yet in all his life he never looked better or erjoyed more freedom from pain than be does to-day. He is one of the thousands in this city who have reason to believe in Paine's celery compound.

#### THE WOMAN'S PAPER.

To Be Sold by Handsome Girls From Handsome Carriages-Other Notes. -Lock out for the Woman's

Edition, te-morrow. -Carriages, handsome ones-girls, handsomer ones, will dispense papers

tc-morrow. You can't help but patronize them! -Young ladies in carriages will

sell papers, to-morrow. Look for their moving advertisement.

-Beautiful girls in beautiful gowns will sell papers, to-morrow. for a beautiful charity.

-The young ladies will make the delivery of the papers ordered, as early as possible. It there should be any oversight will the patrons kindly notify Mrs. Geo. H. Decker, chairman of Circulation Committee.

.-The Woman's Edition of the ARGUS goes to press at 12 o'clock, to-morrow.

-How can anybody belp but buy the Woman's Edition, to-morrow? -Ten cents for a paper, to-morrow,

even if it means one cigar less. -Surely the society boys can't do without a Woman's paper. They will find themselves kindly mentioned.

Cetting Points from Warwick's New School Building

From the Warwick Advertiser.

A member of the Board of Education of the city of Middletown was in Warwick yesterday, and made an inspection of the Institute building with a vew to getting ideas of the working of the Smeed system of heating and ventilating, and the other features of the building. Like others who have seen Warwick's new school, he considered it an excellent building for the price.

# A Scrap on North Street.

A very short but very lively scrap occurred on North street, near Wickham avenue, shortly after 11 o'clock, this morning, between a young man and one many years his senior. It was about the latter's daughter and ended by the young man knocking the older one out into the roadway.

# The Wheelmen's Uniform.

Mr. A. J. Cahill, the North atreet clothier, has received the unitorms ordered by the Middletown Wheelmen. They are light drab Bedford cord and very neat and natty, and the wheelmen when they turn out in their new suits will present a very fine appearance.

Attendance on the Public Schools.

The monthly report of the public schools of the city shows a registretion of 1695 pupils. Last year, for the corresponding month, the registration was 1552.

Auction Prices for Cows.

At the auction sale of O. C. Wick' bam, twenty-six cows sold at an average price of \$37. M. B. Austin was the auctioneer.

# It May Do As Much for You.

Mr. Fred Miller, of Irving, Ill., writes that he had a severe Kidney trouble for many years, with severe pains in his back and also that his bladder was affected. He tried many so called kidney cures but without any good result. About a year ago be began use of Electric Bitters and found relief at once. Electric Bitters is especially adapted to the cure of all Kidney and liver troubles and ofter gives almost instant relief. One trial will prove our statement, \* Prices only 50c, for large bottle at McMonagle & Rogers Drug store.

WORKING COUNTRY POST OFFICES How Sharpers Got Duplicated Keys of Postmasters' safes.

The country post offices are being worked by a set of sharpers, who enter the office generally with a tin box on which is a lock such as is used on the outside doors of sales. They tell the postmaster they have lost their key and ask for his key to open the box, but while pretending to do this, take a wax impression and children take it daily during the from which they make a key, and, usually about noon, when the official is at dinter, slip in and open the safe and appropriate the contents.

This game has been worked so often recently that the department has sent out orders to postmasters to keep the outside doors of their safes believed in it thoroughly, had used it locked when not in the office with information as to how the sharpers work.

### INSURANCE LOSS ADJUSTED.

Mr. B. B. Williams Preparing to Refit and Reopen His Store

Mr. B. B. Williams had made a satisfactory adjustment of his recent loss by fire with the several com panies with whom he was insured. He commenced, yesterday, the work of removing his stock, preparativy to making the necessary repairs to the store. Mr. Williams has secured the store room, now occupied by Mr. Robert Brown, and will have an entrance to his store from King street, as well as James street. He will open in about two weeks.

MILK DEALERS WORR FD.

High Cost Beet May Make a Milk Famine.

The milk dealers of New York city are worried over the high price of beef, not because of the cost of the tooth ome steak for their own tables, however, but lest a continu ance of ruling prices should lead to wholesale slaughter of milch cows and growing beifers, thus bringing about a shortage in the supply of the lacteal fluid.

Programme of the Shadow Pantomine The following is the programme of the Shadow Pantomire to be given at the First Presbyterian Church,

this evening: Violin and piano duet..... Miss Shafer, Mr. Shannon. Shadow Picture.....

Vocal solo.....Miss Bertha Morgacs 

To have perfect health you must have pure blood; and the best way to have pure blood is to take Hood's Sarsaparilla

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Competent middle-aged woman wants situation, country preferred. Lw Apply at 135 North street.

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OF P.—All members of Lancelot Lodge are requested to be present at the convention, this evening, to receive their cards of admission to the reception of May 9th, Each card will admit a member and one lady only. It

AYNE County Cows—Will have a load of new milkers and springers, also 4 bulls, good size and condition, at our yards, on Genung street, Saturday. May 4th 22d2t&wit JOHNSON & GIVEANS.

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IMPORTANT to Milk Producers—Every milk producer along N. Y. S. & W. Ranfroad is requested to attend a meeting, at Deckertown, in Hornbeck's Hall, on Saturday, May 4th, at 1 o'clock p. m. Failure to attend on the part of any producer is a matter of serious consequence. Let the meeting be a rouser.

J. A. McBRIDE.

Deckertown, May 1st, 1895. J. W. WORCESTER, M. D., Late of New York city. Fine Dentistry in all its branches. Expert in the use of gas and extraction, 11d&w1y ap19 37 NORTH ST., Middletown, N. Y.

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PROPOSALS for piggery. Bids for the erection of a piggery on the grounds of the Middle own State Homocepathic Hospital will be received up to noon on Saturday, 4th of May. Fach had must be accompanied by certified check for 1200,00. Bond will be required of successful bidder. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved. Plans and specifications may be seen at Hospital after Wednesday morning. 19dtoMay4 W. H. CLARK, Chairman Com.

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